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## IT IS BRYAN AND KERN

### Nomination for Vice-President Made by Acclimation

#### The Nominee is an Intimate Friend of his Running Mate.--The Convention Adjourns Midst Enthusiasm.

Denver, Colo., July 10.—John W. Kern of Indiana is the democratic party's nominee for vice president. Before the roll call of states had been concluded it became at once apparent that he was overwhelming choice of the majority. The name of every other aspirant was withdrawn and the selection of Kern made unanimous.

Thirty minutes before the convention was called to order this afternoon at 1 o'clock, it was not known who would be chosen for Mr. Bryan's running mate. Although besieged by delegates eager to comply with his wishes, Mr. Bryan's representatives here declined to put the stamp of approval on any one. This was due to the fact that there were several aspirants who have for a long time been devoted followers of the Nebraskan, and he was reluctant to choose among them.

#### Kern's Candor Shown.

Tom Taggart has promised that

with Kern as the nominee for vice president he will carry the state, and other politicians think he is warranted in making that boast. The attitude of Mr. Kern with respect to the nomination has been clear from the moment his name was suggested. He has said that he would not covet the place for the reason that his means are such as to make the honor a sacrifice, but that if he should be thought for political reasons the most available he would make the sacrifice in the interest of democracy. The candor which Mr. Kern has shown is rare among politicians.

#### John Worth Kern.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 10.—John W. Kern was born December 20, 1849, at the village of Alto, Howard County, Ind. His father, Dr. Jacob W. Kern, was a Virginian by birth, who removed to Shelby County, Ind., in 1836, and lived there until 1846,

when he moved into the northern part of the state.

John Kern's mother was Nancy Liggett, and she and Dr. Kern were married in Warren County, Ohio, in 1845. When John was 5 years old, the family removed to Warren County, Iowa. From the time he went to Iowa until he was 15 years old he did not see a railroad train. The family moved back to Howard County in 1864. In the early sixties, while still in Iowa, Mrs. Kern died.

Two children were left, John and his sister, who is now Mrs. Isaac Engel of Deleville, Va. John was educated in the district schools, and he continued his education by attending the Indiana Normal school of Kokomo, Ind., riding horseback ten miles each way every day. Later he taught school near Alto. He earned money to enter Ann Arbor, graduating from the law department of Michigan University in 1869. He immediately began practicing in Kokomo, Ind. He was "drafted" when he was 21 years old to make the race for the legislature in the republican county of Howard, but was defeated. He was chosen city attorney of Kokomo for six terms over republican aspirants. In 1884 he was elected reporter of the supreme court.

Denver, Colo., July 10.—"Gentlemen, you will have to excuse me, for I must go and buy a present for my little boy. I remember this is his birthday."

With this plea John Worth Kern, democratic nominee for vice president, left an important conference of Indian party leaders here the other day.

"Well, I reckon that is about the only political conference John Kern ever left until it was over," said one of his fellow delegates, "and I don't suppose there is a thing on earth that could have dragged him away except some duty or pleasure for his family."

The plea of Mr. Kern for absenting himself, and the comment thereon by his close personal and political friends, will illustrate the two most striking traits in the character of the man the democratic party has chosen to be the running mate of William J. Bryan. First of all, Mr. Kern loves his family. Next he loves the swirl of politics, and over in Indiana they tell you he knows the game as he knows the alphabet.

There will be hundreds of thousands of voters asking tomorrow who is this man from Indiana, the man who was never in the halls of congress in an official capacity, and never had anything to do with Washington affairs except as the rank and file of American citizens have to do with them.

#### Not an Officeholder.

In his state he has never held any higher office than that of state senator and reporter of the supreme court. How, then, did it come that he should be singled out to be the teammate of the man from Nebraska, singled out from scores of men, some of wider name, who were mentioned as suitable for the presi-

dency of the United States senate as quite as suitable to the chief magistracy in case of accident?

Probably the best answer is that Mr. Kern is heart, mind, muscle and soul, a Bryan democrat, and that he can come nearer to carrying Indiana for his party, in all probability, than any other man who could be named. Every delegate from the Hoosier state will tell you that and make his words fairly clink with emphasis. When the long whisks of Mr. Kern shake with the fervency of his political pleading from the rostrum, every tossing strand of them is said to lure votes from somewhere. For that magic power is peculiarly distinguished in his own state.

#### First Democrat of Indiana.

Twice he has been the candidate in Indiana for governor and twice he has polled more votes by 12,000 than any other man on his ticket. He failed of election in 1900 and again in 1904. They were brilliant failures. They were failures that have become political assets and they brought him to the fore as "the first democrat of Indiana."

#### Bryan and Kern's Friends.

In their friendship, the two men are like affectionate brothers. When the Nebraskan goes to Indianapolis to remain over night he always seeks out the modest home of Mr. Kern, sits at his table and makes the Kern fireside a political confessional. If he happens to be passing through Indianapolis and has an hour to spare, the little law office is visited for party conferences. It was as much as these meetings in personal contact, man to man, as in the larger councils, that caused the Nebraskan to value the friendship of the Indianan.

#### Not a Wealthy Man.

Twenty-five thousand dollars is probably all the wealth he has. He had confided to his friends before the convention when the first mention of his name for vice president was made that he was afraid his fortune was too puny to permit him to fill the the social requirements of the office in Washington. His law practice is general in character and he is in considerable demand in Indianapolis in civil and criminal cases which are likely to call for persuasive pleading before a jury of average citizens.

As a spellbinder, he ranks with the best the Hoosier state affords. John Kern's eloquence has turned the balance in more than one case when the odds seemed against him. He is not what is called a corporation lawyer, and his office wears none of the aspects which are supposed to distinguish the base of operations of the defender of corporate interests. There are two small rooms and a modest library, where the books are well thumbed.

#### Not a Social "Lion."

Not in any sense is Mr. Kern to be considered a frequenter of clubs. His social instincts do not run quite in that channel, and yet he is credited with being one of the best "mixers" and cleverest tellers of stories in his state. He has a keen sense of humor and enjoys the sunny side of life as much as anybody. In a circle of friends he is always conceded the floor and leads the conversation. He is a member of the University Club of Indianapolis, one of the smallest organizations of its kind in the Indiana capital. On the rostrum he resorts much to the intimate style of address and wins attention. When his audience shows signs of losing interest he has ready course of stories apropos of his argument and regains the lost ground.

Nobody has ever discovered that he has any hobby but politics or any recreation but commingling with his family and friends. He does not play golf, go fishing or hunting or follow any game but that which was picturesquely played here in Denver this week. In that he is a shining light, he loves his lawbooks and documents on political economy. In this see seeks the diversion which the links of quarry offer to others.

#### Old-Fashioned Campaigner.

He is not of rugged physique, but when it comes to campaigning he can "make" as many towns and speak as often as the best of them. He fairly romps over Indiana towns, big and little. There is no eight-hour day in his personal platform. The old spring wagon on the farm, the automobile, the Pullman car or the back of a horse all look alike to him when he wants to get somewhere.

#### Kern's Wife Regrets Husband's nomination.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 10.—Mrs. John W. Kern, wife of the democratic nominee for vice president, was notified by the Associated Press of the nomination of her husband at Denver. She was at her home, 1836 North Pennsylvania street, with her children.

"I had hoped," she said, "you would give me the good news that Mr. Kern had not been nominated. I, of course, appreciate the honor conferred upon Mr. Kern, but I can not understand what conditions at Denver have arisen that would cause him to have accepted the nomination. Mr. Kern has injured his health in past campaigns by his activities, and as he means vastly more to me than any political honors, I am sincerely sorry, al-

thought I suppose I should not say so."

#### If Elected Bryan Will Not Make Race Again.

Fairview, Lincoln, Neb., July 10.—The following statement was made by William Jennings Bryan when at 4:34 a. m., he received announcement of his nomination as the candidate of the democratic party for president:

"The presidency is the highest official position in the world and no one occupying it can afford to have his views upon public questions biased by personal ambition. Recognizing this responsibility to God, and his obligation to his countrymen, he should enter the discharge of his duties with singleness of purpose, believing that one can best do this when he is not planning for a second term. I announce now as I have on former occasions, that if elected I shall not be a candidate for re-election. "This is a nomination as purely from the people as can be and if elected my obligation will be as purely to the people. I appreciate the honor the more because it came, not from one person or a few persons, but from the rank and file, acting freely and without compulsion."

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Bryan and Kern sounds all right.

Indiana is a doubtful state, and the selection of the nominee for vice president from there was a wise political move.

John W. Kern, of Indiana, the democratic nominee for vice president, adds strength to the ticket in a close state.

Registration time closes next Tuesday. You will want to vote when the time comes, so had better get your name on the registration book.

The movement for good roads must not be permitted to lag. No one matter is of more importance to the people of this section, and especially to Ada.

It is your duty to take an interest in the public affairs of your city, community, county, state and nation, so register and then you are permitted to do so.

Nature has well done its share for Ada, and its enterprising citizens have also done well, but there is much yet to do, and no time like the present to begin the work necessary to make this place the metropolis of this whole section.

Ada wants to get its full share of the immense influx of immigration that will flow into Oklahoma soon, so get the city in readiness for the rush.

The streets of Ada will soon be paved, the sidewalks laid with concrete, and even before that, there will be water to sprinkle the streets, so the dust will not be with us always. It is just a temporary inconvenience and annoyance, which will soon pass away.

The News has labored earnestly, strenuously and persistently for Ada, in season and out of season, for pay and without pay—mostly the latter—and this paper will continue in the good work, but it trusts to have its extra labors to be henceforth exerted, to bring more material benefits.

## HE EXEMPLIFIES HIS FAITH.

The selection of William Jennings Bryan for the third time to lead the hosts of democracy in the coming national election, is of deep significance and augurs well for the success of the ticket.

Without a political machine and no great wealth to promote his candidacy, he has for a dozen years or more kept himself in the forefront as a leader easily able to have the rank and file of democracy follow him. Nor has he abused this power as some leaders have done.

The great ability of Mr. Bryan and his clean, upright life, together with the advocacy of those measures intended to benefit the great body of people, have been the bulwarks of his strength, and in the championship of the rights of the masses, no one can justly question his sincerity or honesty.

Mr. Bryan has had the gratification of seeing the republican party compelled to enact into laws some of the remedies he has advocated in behalf of the people. President Roosevelt forced his party to make a democratic measure so persistently presented by Mr. Bryan, and to the extent that the republican party has reluctantly enacted these remedial measures, to that degree has its popularity been enhanced.

It surely is time now for the people to take the substance instead of the shadow. If the enactment of a few democratic measures, forced through an inimical congress, can result in such commendation from the masses, what would not be the acclaim of approval, could a democratic administration and congress be elected to make into laws the whole of the great principles of democracy?

Ada is a city of pretty, comfortable homes, where the shade trees abound, and shrubbery and flowers are here in profusion. It is a pleasing, restful sight to the weary eye to meander along the shaded streets of Ada, and view the well-kept lawns and cool, vine-embowered homes. Let more care and attention be given the advantages nature has so generously bestowed on this section.

The law requires registration to enable you to vote.

## WORLD'S CHAMPION KILLED.

Milt Beeler Who Held the World's Record as Fastest Roper, Roped Once Too Often.

Special to Ada News.

Pontotoc, Okla., July 10.—Prof. Kennedy of South Pontotoc phoned the following to the News Friday: "Milt Beeler, 22 years of age, who won the world's roping championship at Enid last February, was fatally injured at Pontotoc Thursday evening, his death resulting at 9 o'clock Friday morning. There was a roping contest at Pontotoc in which a large number of entries had had been made. There was much interest and a considerable crowd had gathered to witness the expert feats of roping. Mr. Beeler was the second to ride in the contest field. He roped his steer, but before his horse could become master, the steer had pulled him over and he fell on the rider, crushing him in such a manner, that fatal injury resulted. Mr. Beeler was a popular young man and was well known in the Pontotoc county. His parents reside at Chickasha, and it is there that he will be buried. The deceased's roping record was 20 seconds.

Miss Minnie McCain, the popular bookkeeper at Moss & Scribners, accompanied by Misses Jennie Roddie and Maud McClard will leave tomorrow for a month's visit to Miss McCain's old home at Rockwall, Tex.

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### At the Presbyterian Church Sunday.

9:45 a. m., Sunday school. 11:00 a. m., sermon, "The Christian, an Ambassador for Christ." 3:00 p. m., Christian Endeavor. There will be no evening services in order that all may unite in the evangelistic services in progress at the Baptist church. J. D. WHITE, Pastor.

### At the First Baptist Church.

The meeting grows in interest. Large congregation last night, fine interest, and four conversions. The afternoon prayer meeting at the home of Brother Sanders was a glorious service in which a young lady was converted. Services this evening at 8:30. On tomorrow there will be three services, 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m., as usual on Sunday, and a special children's service at 4 p. m. Superintendents please announce the afternoon children's meeting in their Sunday schools. It will be Orphans' Home day in our Sunday school, which meets at 9:45. Pray for a great day tomorrow. T. B. HARRELL, Pastor.

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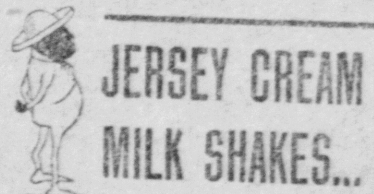
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Henry Young transacted business in Citra yesterday.

M. B. Donaghey is back from a trip to South McAlester.

Joe Nobles, brother-in-law of W. C. Duncan, of Madill, came in today.

Miss Mamie McPherson of Sasawka visited Miss Nannie White yesterday.

Mrs. Shanafelt and Miss Barber have gone to Holdenville to visit friends today.

Mrs. C. C. McDonald and children are home from Madill where they visited friends.

Mrs. I. J. Patterson, sister of Miss Benlah Worthington, arrived today for a visit to relatives.

After a short visit with relatives, Mrs. Effie Cotton has returned to her home at Ardmore.

Miss Alta Essman left today for several weeks' visit to friends in Ardmore.

F. A. Whittaker of Shawnee is a business visitor in the city.

Mrs. W. W. White from Roff is here.

Mrs. Vera Adkins of Blanchard arrived in the city yesterday and is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Carr.

W. C. Lewis and sister, Madill, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Frank Yeargin, left today for their home at Madill.

J. L. Jackson of Gainesville, Tex., is in the city prospecting. Mr. Jackson is favorably impressed with Ada and may probably locate here.

Mesdames W. E. Moore, J. W. Moore, J. T. Reed, M. Johnston and Miss Rowena Moore have gone to Francis to spend the day visiting Mrs. Ora Miller.

Mrs. G. C. Grisham and children of McGee came in today and took the north bound Frisco for Roff where they will visit for several days.

Henry Lash and wife are visiting in Ahlosa.

J. H. Davission, chief clerk of superintendent's office is here.

W. D. Hayes, wife and baby have gone to Sulphur for a ten days' outing.

Bro. Harrel has gone to Duncan to fill the pulpit of Bro. Hawkins tomorrow.

The General Manager E. O. Allen of St. Louis, with his special train spent the night here.

Rev. W. H. Moss, who is here on a visit to the family of Robt. Wimlish, left for Sulphur for a short trip.

Mrs. S. A. George and grandchildren, Misses May and Nora Beard, are visiting friends at Keifer.

Ada Construction Co. will furnish you estimates on any and all classes of concrete work. 30tf

Mrs. L. J. Howell and children of Konawa, accompanied by Mrs. E. J. Howell, after a visit to Mrs. C. R. Clement, left for a visit to friends at Earlboro.

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## STOLE HIS BROTHER'S WIFE

And Then is Said to Have Threatened to Kill Him Because He Objected.

Joe Porter, an Indian, was arrested on the charge of adultery, for living with the wife of his brother, Ben. For this offense, Justice H. J. Brown of Ada, bound Joe over to the grand jury in the sum of \$300.

It seems that Ben became angry because his brother Joe had taken the idol of his heart, and then Joe is said to have threatened to kill Ben, if he heard any more about the matter.

Ben then had Joe arrested for these threats, but as the evidence was conflicting and hearsay, Justice Brown discharged Joe.

Just where and with whom the wife is now domiciled or in sympathy, does not appear. She is at least a bone of contention between brothers, and where there should be affection instead of strife.

Evidently Joe has not been reading the ten commandments.

### Grand Prizes Free.

The Steam Riding Gallery will give free to the persons holding the two lucky numbers out of seven hundred, the following valuable prizes: First prize, one Axminster rug, 20x60; second prize, one picture 16x20, gilded frame. One number will be given with every five cent ticket. Drawing will take place at 11 o'clock p. m., July 11th at grounds.

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Mrs. Frank J. More, who has been visiting her parents at Francis for several weeks, is here en route to her home at Salina, Kan. Mrs. More will be remembered by her many friends, as Miss Villa Wilson, who was one of Ada's most popular teachers.

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## MR. HOLT RESIGNS.

Gives Up Job at Court House—Will Now Have More Time to Attend to the Business of the City.

It is reported that Mr. Tom Holt, late city attorney of Ada, resigned today his position as assistant clerk of the county court. The narrative of the cause of Mr. Holt's resignation of the nice county position he has been holding for some time relates that such decision was based on political expediency and his final realization that the public would not countenance such dereliction in the conduct of the office of the city attorney as must result when its occupant held another official position which properly required all of his services. It appears that Mr. Holt, rather than lose the bigger plum, the city attorney's office with its nice fee income, decided to drop the lesser plum, especially since the retention of the lesser plum required real genuine sweating work.

Since, automatically under the law, the office of city attorney became vacant when its occupant accepted another one incompatible with its business requirements, competent attorneys consider that the city administration in proper regard for the legality of all of the acts of the city, since Mr. Holt has resigned his county position, should take the necessary steps to get him legally reinstated in the office of city attorney.

The dual office holding proclivities of Mr. Holt, by a good stretch of imagination, might remind one of that little tale told by a man named Mr. Easop.

### Out to Sandy.

Fishing seems to be the rage, so another jolly crowd contracted the fever and hied away to Sandy, yesterday to fish and enjoy the fresh country breeze.

The following were the party, chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Pink Donaghey: Misses Ruth and Jennie Roddie, Asbury, Cook, Grace and Alta Smith, Bowers, Gertrude and Ruby West, Chisler, Stone and King. Messrs. Donaghey, Cole, Guest, Dadds, Chisler, Brown, Eaton, Durham.

### Brigade Reunion.

Ada will properly entertain the old confederates and sympathizers of the Chickasaw nation on the occasion of their three days reunion in this city two weeks from now.

The 25000 Club is squarely behind the movement to give the old heroes the time of their lives. There will be comfortable seats, lots of ice and shade, good beds on which to sleep and the best in the market to eat. Besides the actual entertainment extended the veterans, there will be a genuine and heartfelt hospitality extended them which will emphasize the fact that Ada is a city true to the best southern traditions.

### SATURDAY NIGHT BARGAINS.

FROM 7:30 TO 11:00 P. M.

10 Yards Lawn for .....45c  
10 Yards Calico for .....45c  
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The Best Bleached for .....7c  
15c India Linen for .....9c  
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40c Persian Lawn for .....25c  
Ladies' Vests for .....15c  
Ladies' Hose for .....9c  
\$1.00 Long Gloves for .....79c  
\$1.25 Corsets for .....89c  
10-4 Sheetting for .....23c  
25c Towling for .....16c  
\$1.25 Table Cloth for .....74c  
\$1.25 Counterpanes for .....89c  
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\$1.50 Shirts .....88c  
\$1.00 Shirts .....58c  
50c Shirts .....35c  
40c Shirts .....19c  
Balbrigan Underwear .....19c  
Cluett Peabody Collars .....11c  
\$6.00 Men's Pants .....\$4.40  
\$4.00 Men's Pant for .....\$2.95  
\$3.00 Men's Pants for .....\$1.95  
\$2.50 Men's Pants for .....\$1.65  
\$1.75 Men's Pants .....\$1.20

### BOYS' PANTS.

\$1.50 Pants for tonight .....98c  
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75c Pants for tonight .....48c  
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Straw bate at your own price  
THE GRAND LEADER.

## LOVE'S YOUNG DREAM WAS

Shattered and the Youthful Swain Languishes Behind Prison Bars.

Kilgram Willett, aged 17, and Miss Lillie Batchelor, aged 18 years, from near Lula, were so consumed with the fire of love they could not await the slow process of maturity.

Their parents objected to the union of these loving young hearts, so they appropriated a neighbor's horse and hid themselves away to seek more lenient people and try to receive lawful sanction of their yearning love.

They had only proceeded as far as Sulphur, when they were apprehended by Deputy Sheriffs John Kitchens, of Stonewall, and L. J. Shook, of Roff, who brought them to Ada today, where a preliminary hearing was given them before Justice H. J. Brown.

The girl was turned loose, of course, but Willett was committed to jail in default of \$500 bail.

It is the consensus of opinion that the boy intended to return the horse as soon as he could be married to his heart's desire.

What a small world is this sometimes, when two fond hearts with but a single thought, are thus torn asunder, and a separation forced, which will prevent even those cooling accosions that ever stern parents could not prevent.

### Notice Children.

Rev. Hawkins, who is a great friend to the children will conduct a special service for the young people at the Baptist church at 4:00 p. m. Every child in Ada is urged to be present. He has a big treat for you.

### Peaches! Peaches!!

If you want peaches to put up drop me a card and I will have the wagon call at your house. Be sure and order right away.

J. R. INGRAM.

Box 159.

Cal Bolen, constable at Stonewall, brought a negro here today for some offense, and Sheriff Tom Smith sent him out to work on the roads. The sheriff says that is where all the county prisoners guilty of minor offenses will be put.

## Miss Mittie Barringer Entertains.

One of the most delightful socials of the season was that of last evening, when the elegant home of Mrs. Jno. Barringer, in southside was thrown open to welcome a crowd of Ada's popular young people. The house was tastefully decorated with flowers and ferns. After a delightful evening of games and music, the party repaired to the spacious dining room where blocks ice cream and cake were served.

The following guests were present, and all accede that Miss Barringer is a charming hostess: Misses Mamie and Jessie Rogers, Sledge, Norton, Thompson, Walsh, Mattie Tohompson, Messrs. Sidney, Mitchell and Johnnie Katz, Smith, Beaty, Kile, Chas. and Jno. Chauncey, Carr and Reed.

Mrs. N. B. Shands, accompanied by Gladys and Hubert Gillespie, left on the north bound Frisco for Wewoka.

Marriage license issued today to S. L. Adams, aged 29, and Tilda Snow, aged 18 years, of Allen. Both are natives of Arkansas.

### NOTICE.

All voters living in wards 1 and 2 must register with the undersigned on or before the last Saturday night in July, or they cannot vote in the primary election Aug. 4. Books open at City Hall.

W. B. JONES, Inspector

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## ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING JULY 28, 1908.

### Order of Business.

1. Meet called to order by Director of Chairman.
2. Reading of County Superintendent's letter.
3. Election of a Director for a term of three years.
4. Election to fill vacancy in office of Clerk or Treasurer if vacancy exists.
5. Discussion of repairs, improvements, location and building of school houses.
6. Tax levy.
7. Qualifying newly elected officers.

8. Miscellaneous business.
  9. Reading and approving minutes of today's meeting.
- To the Officers and patrons of Pontotoc County Schools:

At this annual meeting I desire to communicate to you by letter, which I trust will be of assistance to you in your deliberations, and in the proper transaction of the business of your district.

### Presiding Officer.

The Director, by virtue of his office, shall preside. If he is absent, those present have the power to choose the temporary presiding officer.

### Election.

Elect at this meeting a Director for three years. If your Treasurer has been appointed elect one for one year. If your Clerk has been appointed elect one for two years. If a vacancy exists in either office elect in like manner.

### Apparatus and Supplies.

The geography of Oklahoma has been greatly changed since statehood. We are now a state of seventy five counties. Every school should have a good map of the state of Oklahoma, and I trust not one in this county will be without when school opens in the fall. A good set of maps in roller cases should also be in every school. A large dictionary is one of the essentials, and no school should be without it.

The county schools of old Oklahoma have at least the beginning of libraries. Let us not fall behind in Pontotoc county. The law provides that the district board employing one teacher shall set apart

each year not less than five dollars and not more than ten dollars for this purpose; more than one teacher and fewer than four teachers, not less than ten nor more than twenty-five dollars; more than three teachers, not less than fifty dollars. This is to be done at the time the annual tax levies are certified. No levy is required for this purpose, but the amount in dollars is to be certified by the County Clerk.

There should be a well of water at every school. There should be shelves for dinner pails, and hooks for wraps; window shades that can be adjusted; wash basin, soap and towels; a mirror; a good globe, and a United States flag. The law requires this flag. This is a good county, and we can at least make a start in giving its schools the best possible equipment.

The County Commissioners will do a good part by our schools and are already alive to their wants and importance. Your children will be supplied with report cards, monthly, quarterly and term certificates and diplomas of attendance and deportment; your teacher will be supplied with a common school course of study; your school with a roll of honor and book for specimen work. All this will be provided at public expense. Now will it be too much for me to call upon the school boards and patrons to manifest the same liberal and enterprising spirit.

### Assessment and Tax Levy.

By the terms of the constitution the maximum rate for general purposes is five mills on the dollar valuation unless a greater rate be authorized by a majority of those present and voting at the school meeting. Such majority may vote an additional ten mills or less on the dollar valuation, so if the maximum be voted it will give you a levy for general purposes of fifteen mills on the dollar valuation. I beg that you be liberal in making this levy. A surplus will not hurt and is better than a deficit.

Again an additional levy of not more than five mills may be made for building purposes.

There is also a sinking fund for your district if you have voted or expect to vote bonds. This is levied by the County Commissioners to pay; first, interest on coupons as

they fall due; second, bonds as they become due; third, such parts of judgments as your district may, by law, be required to pay.

### Compulsory Attendance.

We have now a compulsory school law which provides that all children of sound mind, and body between the ages of eight and sixteen years shall attend some public or other school for at least three months in each school year, and the school board is given authority to increase the term of compulsory attendance to a period not exceeding six months in any school year. If the board takes no action in the matter, the term for compulsory attendance is three months.

It is the duty of the Director to furnish the teachers at the beginning of school the names of all children in his district, between the ages mentioned.

### Uniformity of Text Books.

We have now a State Text-Book commission, and it is their intention to adopt the books in time for all pupils to be supplied uniformly before the opening this fall. You will be informed in time of all selections together with prices and exchange rates.

### Postoffice Address.

I earnestly request that the Clerk give postoffice address of all members of the school board after the election.

### Repairs.

Please see that everything is in readiness for the opening of school in the fall. Broken window panes should be replaced, seats fastened to the floor, floor scrubbed, walls cleaned, and I especially urge that the outbuilding be clean and in good order. Please inspect the buildings, and if there is any obscene language written see that it is thoroughly whitewashed inside.

### Employment of Teachers.

Should you employ a teacher who holds no certificate issued or endorsed by the school board of this county, you do so on the condition that he or she takes his or her examination the last Thursday and Friday of August.

### Conclusion.

We have now come face to face with our public school system. It is now beginning to take shape in this county. The state has assumed the duty and responsibility of educating its citizens. Let us use the means at our hand. The federal authorities will be liberal and agree to continue the schools a few months after the state funds are exhausted. Let us take pride in our duties and make Pontotoc County second to none in the state.

Very truly yours,

T. F. PIERCE.

County Superintendent.



### DON'T FLY AROUND.

From place to place, homeless wanderers! Tie yourself down to earth and a comfortable home. On our plan it's easy to own a home. We should like to have you come in and let us post you about our new methods, making it about as simple to buy a house of your own as to pay rent.

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Get my "Book No. 4 For Women." It will give weak women many valuable suggestions of relief—and with strictly confidential medical advice is entirely free. Simply write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. The book No. 4 tells all about Dr. Shoop's Night Cure and how these soothing, healing, antiseptic suppositories can be successfully applied to correct these weaknesses. Write for the book. The Night Cure is sold by G. M. Ramsey.

## ADA BALL TEAM HOT STUFF

Two of the Three Games Played With Coalgate Were Won.

The third game between Ada and Coalgate was played yesterday evening and won by the former. The score being 6 to 4.

The Coalgate team started off well with three scores the first half of the first inning, but the other lone one they got, was earned.

The Ada team took a new hitch on themselves, and changed one fielder, when they sure played ball.

An accident happened to Swickey, who plays with Coalgate. In attempting to make first base on a foot-end slide, his spikes did not catch and he fell heavily to the ground, striking his head, very hard. He was soon revived and finished the game, but upon reaching the Chapman House, he became delirious and a physician was summoned. Today, Swickey is up and may again play in the fourth game between the two evenly matched nines.

The following is the score card of yesterday's game.

### ABA.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.E.
Gorman, ss.	4	2	2	2	3
Adkins, 2b.	4	0	2	1	1
Ellis, 1b.	4	0	1	9	0
Wright, cf.	4	0	0	3	0
Reed, lf.	4	2	0	3	0
Kiser, c.	4	1	1	4	5
Bone, 3b.	4	0	0	4	2
Lefevre, rf.	2	0	0	0	1
Shirley, rf.	2	1	1	0	0
Flowers, p.	3	0	1	0	1
Total	35	6	8	26	12

### Coalgate.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.E.
Hawkins, 1b.	4	0	0	11	0
Smith, ss.	4	0	0	1	2
Swickey, 3b.	4	1	1	2	3
McCluckey, 2b.	4	1	1	2	3
Johnson, c.	4	1	1	6	1
Boggs, p.	4	1	2	1	3
Tucker, cf.	4	0	0	1	0
Scroggins, rf.	4	0	1	0	0
Stanley, lf.	4	0	0	0	1
Total	36	4	6	24	12

\*Boggs called out, coacher interfering.

Ada ..... 0 0 0 2 1 2 1 0—6  
Coalgate ..... 3 0 0 0 0 0 1—4

Summary—Two base hits, Ellis, Johnson; three base hits, Kiser, Boggs; base on balls, by Flowers 1, Struck out, by Flowers 5, by Boggs 6; left on bases, Ada 5; Coalgate 5; wild pitch, Boggs 1; passed balls, Johnson 2; hit by pitcher, Smith, Stanley, Umpire, Lumsden. Time 1:40.

### The Dog and the Shadow.

A dog, crossing a bridge over a stream with a piece of flesh in his mouth, saw his own shadow in the water and took it for that of another dog with a piece of meat double his own in size. He therefore let go his own and fiercely attacked the other dog, to get his larger piece from him. He thus lost both; that which he grasped at in the water, because it was a shadow; and his own, because the stream swept it away.

Moral: Grasp the shadow, lose the substance.

Piles are easily and quickly checked with Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. To prove it I will mail a small trial box as a convincing test. Simply address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. I surely would not send it free unless I was certain that Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment would stand the test. Remember it is made expressly and alone for swollen, painful, bleeding or itching piles, either external or internal. Large jar 50c. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

## BETTER THAN SPANKING

Spanking does not cure children of bed wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W, South Bend, Ind., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her today if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubles with urine difficulties by day or night.

### RESOLUTION.

In Council Chambers of the City of Ada, Oklahoma.

Whereas, the first legislature of the State of Oklahoma has seen fit and wise to enact and pass into a law "House Bill No. 231," being "An Act to provide for the improvement of streets and other public places within cities of the First-class, by grading, paving, macadamizing, curbing, guttering and draining the same and declaring an emergency," and

Whereas, the city of Ada, Okla., has grown from a small country village to a city of the First-class under the laws of the State of Oklahoma,

duly declared to be such by the Governor thereof; and

Whereas, the increased traffic on and over the public thoroughfares of the said city makes it imperative that more efficient and substantial streets and highways be built in the said city at once.

Therefore, be it resolved by the mayor and the councilmen of said city, in regular session assembled, that an urgent necessity for the paving, guttering, grading and curbing of Main street of said city, from the west side of the right of way of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad to the east side of the right of way of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad, Townsend avenue of said city, from the middle of 12th street, on the south to the west side of the right of way of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad on the north Broadway avenue of said city, from the middle of 12th street on the south to the west side of the right of way of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad on the north and Rennie avenue of said city, from Main street to the middle of the alley between Main and 12th streets, be and is hereby declared to exist; and resolved further, that the said mayor and councilmen will proceed to grade, pave, gutter and curb the said streets and avenues between the points afore said with vitrified brick or asphaltum

after fifteen days from the last day of the publication of this notice.

Passed and approved, this 6th day of July, A. D., 1908.

GEO. A. HARRISON, Mayor.

Attest: W.B. JONES, City Clerk.  
(First published July 7, 1908.)

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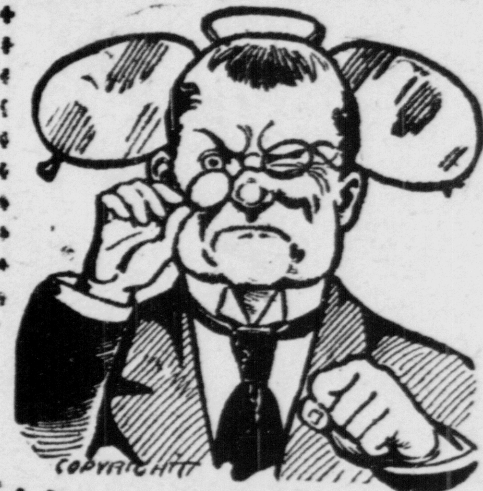
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- How you can make any one love you?
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## IT IS BRYAN AND KERN

### Nomination for Vice-President Made by Acclimation

#### The Nominee is an Intimate Friend of his Running Mate.--The Convention Adjourns Midst Enthusiasm.

Denver, Colo., July 10.—John W. Kern of Indiana is the democratic party's nominee for vice president. Before the roll call of states had been concluded it became at once apparent that he was overwhelming choice of the majority. The name of every other aspirant was withdrawn and the selection of Kern made unanimous.

Thirty minutes before the convention was called to order this afternoon at 1 o'clock, it was not known who would be chosen for Mr. Bryan's running mate. Although besieged by delegates eager to comply with his wishes, Mr. Bryan's representatives here declined to put the stamp of approval on any one. This was due to the fact that there were several aspirants who have for a long time been devoted followers of the Nebraskan, and he was reluctant to choose among them.

#### Kern's Favor Shown.

Tom Taggart has promised that

with Kern as the nominee for vice president he will carry the state, and other politicians think he is warranted in making that boast. The attitude of Mr. Kern with respect to the nomination has been clear from the moment his name was suggested. He has said that he would not cover the place for the reason that his means are such as to make the honor a sacrifice, but that if he should be thought of for political reasons the most available he would make the sacrifice in the interest of democracy. The candor which Mr. Kern has shown is rare among politicians.

#### John Worth Kern.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 10.—John W. Kern was born December 20, 1849, at the village of Alto, Howard County, Ind. His father, Dr. Jacob W. Kern, was a Virginian by birth, who removed to Shelby County, Ind., in 1836, and lived there until 1846,

when he moved into the northern part of the state.

John Kern's mother was Nancy Liggett, and she and Dr. Kern were married in Warren County, Ohio, in 1845. When John was 5 years old, the family moved to Warren County, Iowa. From the time he went to Iowa until he was 15 years old he did not see a railroad train. The family moved back to Howard County in 1861. In the early sixties, while still in Iowa, Mrs. Kern died.

Four children were left, John and his sister, who is now Mrs. Isaac Engel of Deleville, Va. John was educated in the district schools, and he continued his education by attending the Indiana Normal school of Kokomo, Ind., riding horseback ten miles each way every day. Later he taught school near Alto. He earned money to enter Ann Arbor, graduating from the law department of Michigan University in 1869. He immediately began practicing in Kokomo, Ind. He was "drafted" when he was 21 years old to make the race for the legislature in the republican county of Howard, but was defeated. He was chosen city attorney of Kokomo for six terms over republican aspirants. In 1881 he was elected reporter of the supreme court.

Denver, Colo., July 10.—"Gentlemen, you will have to excuse me, for I must go and buy a present for my little boy. I remember this is his birthday."

With this plea John Worth Kern, democratic nominee for vice president, left an important conference of Indian party leaders here the other day.

"Well, I reckon that is about the only political conference John Kern ever left until it was over," said one of his fellow delegates, "and I don't suppose there is a thing on earth that could have dragged him away except some duty or pleasure for his family."

The plea of Mr. Kern for absenting himself, and the comment thereon by his close personal and political friends, will illustrate the two most striking traits in the character of the man the democratic party has chosen to be the running mate of William J. Bryan. First of all, Mr. Kern loves his family. Next, he loves the swirl of politics, and over in Indiana they tell you he knows the game as he knows the alphabet.

There will be hundreds of thousands of voters asking tomorrow who is this man from Indiana, the man who was never in the halls of congress in an official capacity, and never had anything to do with Washington affairs except as the rank and file of American citizens have to do with them.

#### Not an Officeholder.

In his state he has never held any higher office than that of state senator and reporter of the supreme court. How, then, did it come that he should be singled out to be the teammate of the man from Nebraska, singled out from scores of men, some of wider name, who were mentioned as suitable for the presi-

dency of the United States senate as quite as suitable to the chief magistracy in case of accident?

Probably the best answer is that Mr. Kern is heart, mind, muscle and soul, a Bryan democrat, and that he can come nearer to carrying Indiana for his party, in all probability, than any other man who could be named. Every delegate from the Hoosier state will tell you that and make his words fairly clink with emphasis. When the long whisks of Mr. Kern shake with the fervency of his political pleading from the rostrum, every tossing strand of them is said to lure votes from somewhere. For that magic power is peculiarly distinguished in his own state.

#### First Democrat of Indiana.

Twice he has been the candidate in Indiana for governor and twice he has polled more votes by 12,000 than any other man on his ticket. He failed of election in 1900 and again in 1904. They were brilliant failures. They were failures that have become political assets and they brought him to the fore as "the first democrat of Indiana."

#### Bryan and Kern's Friends.

In their friendship, the two men are like affectionate brothers. When the Nebraskan goes to Indianapolis to remain over night he always seeks out the modest home of Mr. Kern, sits at his table and makes the Kern fireside a political confessional. If he happens to be passing through Indianapolis and has an hour to spare, the little law office is visited for party conferences. It was as much as these meetings in personal contact, man to man, as in the larger councils, that caused the Nebraskan to value the friendship of the Indianan.

#### Not a Wealthy Man.

Twenty-five thousand dollars is probably all the wealth he has. He had confided to his friends before the convention when the first mention of his name for vice president was made that he was afraid his fortune was too puny to permit him to fill the social requirements of the office in Washington. His law practice is general in character and he is in considerable demand in Indianapolis in civil and criminal cases which are likely to call for persuasive pleading before a jury of average citizens.

As a spellbinder, he ranks with the best the Hoosier state affords. John Kern's eloquence has turned the balance in more than one case when the odds seemed against him. He is not what is called a corporation lawyer, and his office was none of the aspects which are supposed to distinguish the base of operations of the defender of corporate interests. There are two small rooms and a modest library, where the books are well thumbed.

#### Not a Social "Lion."

Not in any sense is Mr. Kern to be considered a frequenter of clubs. His social instincts do not run quite in that channel, and yet he is credited with being one of the best "mixers" and cleverest tellers of stories in his state. He has a keen sense of humor and enjoys the sunny side of life as much as anybody. In a circle of friends he is always conceded the floor and leads the conversation. He is a member of the University Club of Indianapolis, one of the smallest organizations of its kind in the Indiana capital. On the rostrum he resorts much to the intimate style of address and wins attention. When his audience shows signs of losing interest he has ready course of stories apropos of his argument and regains the lost ground.

Nobody has ever discovered that he has any hobby but politics or any recreation but commingling with his family and friends. He does not play golf, go fishing or hunting or follow any game but that which was picturesquely played here in Denver this week. In that he is a shining light, he loves his lawbooks and documents on political economy. In this see seeks the diversion which the links of quarry offer to others.

#### Old-Fashioned Campaigner.

He is not of rugged physique, but when it comes to campaigning he can "make" as many towns and speak as often as the best of them. He fairly romps over Indiana towns, big and little. There is no eight-hour day in his personal platform. The old spring wagon on the farm, the automobile, the Pullman car or the back of a horse all look alike to him when he wants to get somewhere.

#### Kern's Wife Regrets Husband's nomination.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 10.—Mrs. John W. Kern, wife of the democratic nominee for vice president, was notified by the Associated Press of the nomination of her husband at Denver. She was at her home, 1836 North Pennsylvania street, with her children.

"I had hoped," she said, "you would give me the good news that Mr. Kern had not been nominated. I, of course, appreciate the honor conferred upon Mr. Kern, but I can not understand what conditions at Denver have arisen that would cause him to have accepted the nomination. Mr. Kern has injured his health in past campaigns by his activities, and as he means vastly more to me than any political honors, I am sincerely sorry, al-

though I suppose I should not say so."

#### If Elected Bryan Will Not Make Race Again.

Fairview, Lincoln, Neb., July 10.—The following statement was made by William Jennings Bryan when at 1:34 a. m., he received announcement of his nomination as the candidate of the democratic party for president:

"The presidency is the highest official position in the world and no one occupying it can afford to have his views upon public questions biased by personal ambition. Recognizing this responsibility to God, and his obligation to his countrymen, he should enter the discharge of his duties with singleness of purpose, believing that one can best do this when he is not planning for a second term. I announce now as I have on former occasions, that if elected I shall not be a candidate for re-election. "This is a nomination as purely from the people as can be and if elected my obligation will be as purely to the people. I appreciate the honor the more because it came, not from one person or a few persons, but from the rank and file, acting freely and without compulsion."

## Clearance Prices

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We advertise because we want your business. We may get you into our store once, but if we don't treat you right you won't come back again. We have provided for this and have trained our force accordingly. We demand courteous service of our working force. We do an extensive drug business and as a consequence anything you may buy here is always new and fresh. We employ only the highest grade chemicals and pharmacists in filling prescriptions.

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Bryan and Kern sounds all right.

Indiana is a doubtful state, and the selection of the nominee for vice president from there was a wise political move.

John W. Kern, of Indiana, the Democratic nominee for vice president, adds strength to the ticket in a close state.

Registration time closes next Tuesday. You will want to vote when the time comes, so had better get your name on the registration book.

The movement for good roads must not be permitted to lag. No one matter is of more importance to the people of this section, and especially to Ada.

It is your duty to take an interest in the public affairs of your city, community, county, state and nation, so register and then you are permitted to do so.

Nature has well done its share for Ada, and its enterprising citizens have also done well, but there is much yet to do, and no time like the present to begin the work necessary to make this place the metropolis of this whole section.

Ada wants to get its full share of the immense influx of immigration that will flow into Oklahoma soon, so get the city in readiness for the rush.

The streets of Ada will soon be paved, the sidewalks laid with concrete, and even before that, there will be water to sprinkle the streets, so the dust will not be with us always. It is just a temporary inconvenience and annoyance which will soon pass away.

The News has labored earnestly, strenuously and persistently for Ada, in season and out of season, for pay and without pay—mostly the latter—and this paper will continue in the good work, but it trusts to have its extra labors to be henceforth rewarded by more material benefits.

## HE EXEMPLIFIES HIS FAITH.

The selection of William Jennings Bryan for the third time to lead the hosts of democracy in the coming national election, is of deep significance and augurs well for the success of the ticket.

Without a political machine and no great wealth to promote his candidacy, he has for a dozen years or more kept himself in the forefront as a leader easily able to have the rank and file of democracy follow him. Nor has he abused this power as some leaders have done.

The great ability of Mr. Bryan and his clean, upright life, together with the advocacy of those measures intended to benefit the great body of people, have been the outworks of his strength, and in the championship of the rights of the masses, no one can justly question his sincerity or honesty.

Mr. Bryan has had the gratification of seeing the republican party compelled to enact into laws some of the remedies he has advocated in behalf of the people. President Roosevelt forced his party to make a democratic measure so persistently presented by Mr. Bryan, and to the extent that the republican party has reluctantly enacted these remedial measures, to that degree has its popularity been enhanced.

It surely is time now for the people to take the substance instead of the shadow. If the enactment of a few democratic measures, forced through an inimical congress, can result in such commendation from the masses, what would not be the acclaim of approval, could a democratic administration and congress be elected to make into laws the whole of the great principles of democracy?

Ada is a city of pretty, comfortable homes, where the shade trees abound, and shrubbery and flowers are here in profusion. It is a pleasing, restful sight to the wayward wanderer along the shaded streets of Ada, and view the well-kept lawns and cool, vine-embowered homes. Let more care and attention be given the advantages nature has so generously bestowed on this section.

The law requires registration to enable you to vote.

## WORLD'S CHAMPION KILLED.

Mit Beeler Who Held the World's Record as Fastest Roper, Roped Once Too Often.

Special to Ada News.

Pontotoc, Okla., July 10.—Prof. Kennedy of South Pontotoc phoned the following to the News Friday: "Mit Beeler, 22 years of age, who won the world's roping championship at Midland last February, was fatally injured at Pontotoc Thursday evening, his death resulting at 9 o'clock Friday morning. There was a roping contest at Pontotoc in which a large number of entries had had been made. There was much interest and a considerable crowd had gathered to witness the expert feats of roping. Mr. Beeler was the second to ride in the contest field. He roped his steer, but before his horse could become master, the steer had pulled him over and he fell on the rider, crushing him in such a manner that fatal injury resulted. Mr. Beeler was a popular young man and was well known in the Pontotoc county. His parents reside at Chickasha, and it is there that he will be buried. The deceased's roping record was 20 seconds.

Miss Minnie McCain, the popular bookkeeper at Moss & Seidman's, accompanied by Misses Jennie Roddis and Maud McClard will leave tomorrow for a month's visit to Miss McCain's old home at Rockwall, Tex.

## Tin Manufacturers

Anything in that line you want. Tanks, Cornice, Well Buckets, Gutters and utensils of any size.

All Kinds of Plumbing Done

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### SUNDAY AT THE CHURCHES

#### First Presbyterian Church.

There will be special music at both services tomorrow, 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. A cordial welcome to all. 10 to 11:00 organ prelude. Nava grand prelude. Devology. Invocation.

Hymn, "Day of Rest and Gladness." Solo, Oh, God be Merciful. Miss Jones. Hymn, No. 243. Offertory, melody, Mendelssohn. Sermon. Hymn 199. Postlude in key of C. Rev. Ahrensbeck, Pastor. Mrs. Shanahan, organist.

#### At the Presbyterian Church Sunday.

9:15 a. m. Sunday school. 11:00 a. m. sermon "The Christian, an Ambassador for Christ." 3:00 p. m., Christian Endeavor. There will be no evening services in order that all may unite in the evangelistic services in progress at the Baptist church.

J. D. WHITE, Pastor.

#### At the First Baptist Church.

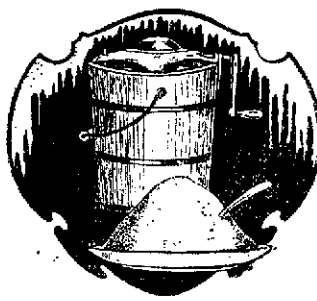
The meeting grows in interest, large congregation last night, the interest, and four conversions. The afternoon prayer meeting at the home of Brother Sandets was a glorious service in which a young lady was converted. Services this evening at 8:30 p. m. tomorrow there will be three services, 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. on Sunday, and a special children's service at 1 p. m. Special addresses, plans announced. The afternoon children's meeting in their Sunday school. It will be Organist's Home day in our Sunday school which meets at 9:15. Pray for a great day tomorrow.

T. B. HARKELL, Pastor.

Pain will depart in exactly 20 minutes if one of Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets is taken. Pain anywhere. Remember! Pain always means congestion, blood pressure—nothing else. Headache is blood pressure; toothache is blood pressure on the sensitive nerve. Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets—also called Pink Pain Tablets—quickly and safely coax this blood pressure away from pain centers. Painful periods with women get instant relief. 20 Tablets 25c. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

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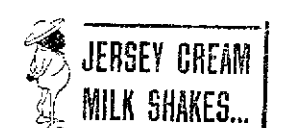
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## PERSONAL COLUMN

F. L. Norton is in Roff today.

Henry Young transacted business in Citra yesterday.

M. B. Donaghey is back from a trip to South McAlester.

Joe Nobles, brother-in-law of W. C. Duncan, of Madill, came in today.

Miss Mamie McPherson of Sasawka visited Miss Nannie White yesterday.

Mrs. Shanafelt and Miss Barber have gone to Holdenville to visit friends today.

Mrs. C. C. McDonald and children are home from Madill where they visited friends.

Mrs. I. J. Patterson, sister of Miss Beriah Worthington, arrived today for a visit to relatives.

After a short visit with relatives, Mrs. Ernie Cotton has returned to her home at Ardmore.

Miss Alta Essman left today for several weeks' visit to friends in Ardmore.

A. A. Whittaker of Shawnee is a business visitor in the city.

Mrs. W. W. White from Roff is here.

Mrs. Vera Atkins of Blanchard arrived in the city yesterday and is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Carr.

W. C. Lewis and sister, Madill, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Frank Veargin, left today for their home at Madill.

J. L. Jackson of Gainesville, Tex., is in the city prospecting. Mr. Jackson is favorably impressed with Ada and may probably locate here.

Mrs. W. E. Moore, J. W. Moore, J. T. Reed, M. Johnston and Miss Rowena Moore have gone to Francis to spend the day visiting Mrs. Ora Miller.

Mrs. G. C. Graham and children of Meffie came in today and took the north bound Frisco for Roff where they will visit for several days.

Henry Lach and wife are visiting in Ahlosa.

J. H. Davidson, chief clerk of superintendent's office is here.

W. D. Hayes, wife and baby have gone to Sulphur for a ten days' outing.

Bro. Harrel has gone to Duncan to fill the pulpit of Bro. Hawkins tomorrow.

The General Manager E. O. Allen of St. Louis, with his special train spent the night here.

Rev. W. H. Moss, who is here on a visit to the family of Robt. Winnish, left for Sulphur for a short trip.

Mrs. S. A. George and grandchildren, Misses May and Nora Beard, are visiting friends at Kiefer.

Ada Construction Co. will furnish you estimates on any and all classes of concrete work.

Mrs. L. J. Howell and children of Konawa, accompanied by Mrs. E. J. Howell, after a visit to Mrs. C. R. Clement, left for a visit to friends at Earlboro.

We are now prepared to manufacture on short notice anything you may want that is practical to be constructed of concrete.

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Rev. J. B. Kitzner, late of Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn., will occupy the pulpit at the First Methodist church tomorrow at 11 o'clock. All are cordially invited to be present.

Not a cent charged from this date. Please do not ask us.

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Mrs. R. W. Norton, who has been the guest of Mr. Father F. L. Norton, returned to her home in Dallas, Texas.

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## STOLE HIS BROTHER'S WIFE

And Then Is Said to Have Threatened to Kill Him Because He Objected.

Joe Porter, an Indian, was arrested on the charge of adultery, for living with the wife of his brother, Ben. For this offense, Justice H. J. Brown of Ada, bound Joe over to the grand jury in the sum of \$300.

It seems that Ben became angry because his brother Joe had taken the idol of his heart, and then Joe is said to have threatened to kill Ben, if he heard any more about the matter.

Ben then had Joe arrested for these threats, but as the evidence was conflicting and hearsay, Justice Brown discharged Joe.

Just where and with whom the wife is now domiciled or in sympathy does not appear. She is at least a bone of contention between brothers, and where there should be affection instead of strife.

Evidently Joe has not been reading the ten commandments.

### Grand Prizes Free.

The Steam Riding Gallery will give free to the persons holding the two lucky numbers out of seven hundred, the following valuable prizes: First prize, one Annulaster rug, 20x60; second prize, one picture 16x20, milled frame. One number will be given with every five cent ticket. Drawing will take place at 11 o'clock p. m. July 11th at grounds.

W. L. JOHNSON, Prop.

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## SOME OF OUR Every Day Bargains

- 4 boxes Eagle Lye, 25c
- Silk Soap 3c per cake
- Red Cross Bleaching 2 boxes 5c.
- Gold Dust Washing Powder 4c per package.
- Sisal Rope Clothes Line 100 ft. 15c
- Spring Clothes Pins 5c per doz.
- Search Light matches 3 boxes 10c.
- 4 lbs. Arm & Hammer Brand Soda 25c
- Dove Brand Extracts 3 for 25c.
- Paper Napkins 7c per 100.
- Decorated Lamp Chimneys, Size 2, 19c
- 10-inch Mill Files, 10c.
- Hammer and Hatchet handles 2 for 15c.
- Ladies and Gentlemen Handkerchiefs 5 and 10c.
- Ladies Hand Bags lowest prices
- Get your Post Cards and Stationery here. Headquarters for Fourth of July Goods. "We keep the prices down."

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Wonderful, Reliable Clairvoyant and Medium.

My special request, Miss Lewis will remain in Ada for another week, and during her special reduced prices for a few days only. Come now and do not wait, and be convinced of her marvelous powers.

Hours from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. All business strictly confidential. Chapman House.

Mrs. Frank J. More, who has been visiting her parents at Francis for several weeks is here en route to her home at Sulphur, Kan. Mrs. More will be remembered by her many friends, as Miss Villa Wilson, who was one of Ada's most popular teachers.

Our rule is spot cash. Don't ask us to just charge it.

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I desire to secure as many as possible table boarders. Also I have large comfortable front room, facing south for rent.

MRS. J. E. BILLS.

## MR. HOLT RESIGNS.

Gives Up Job at Court House—Will Now Have More Time to Attend to the Business of the City.

It is reported that Mr. Tom Holt, late city attorney of Ada, resigned today his position as assistant clerk of the county court. The narrative of the cause of Mr. Holt's resignation on the vice county position he has been holding for some time relates that such decision was based on political expediency and his final realization that the public would not countenance such dereliction in the conduct of the office of the city attorney as must result when its occupant held another official position which properly required all of his services. It appears that Mr. Holt, rather than lose the bigger plum, the city attorney's office with its nice fee income, decided to drop the lesser plum, especially since the retention of the lesser plum required real genuine sweating work. Since, automatically under the law, the office of city attorney became vacant when its occupant accepted another one incompatible with its business requirements, competent attorneys consider that the city administration in proper regard for the legality of all of the acts of the city, since Mr. Holt has resigned his county position, should take the necessary steps to get him legally reinstated in the office of city attorney.

The dual office holding proclivities of Mr. Holt, by a good stretch of imagination, might remind one of that little tale told of a man named Mr. Eason.

### Out to Sandy.

Fishing seems to be the rage, so another jolly crowd contracted the fever and bled away to Sandy, yesterday to fish and enjoy the fresh country breeze.

The following were the party, chartered by Mr. and Mrs. Piek Donaghey: Misses Ruth and Jennie Roddie, Asbury, Cook Grace and Alva Smith, Bowers, Gertrude and Ruby West, Chisler, Stone and King, Messrs. Donaghey, Cole, Guest, Dadds, Chisler, Brown, Eaton, Durham.

### Brigade Reunion.

Ada will properly entertain the old confederates and sympathizers of the Chickasaw nation on the occasion of their three days reunion in this city two weeks from now. The 25000 Club is squarely behind the movement to give the old heroes the time of their lives. There will be comfortable seats, lots of food and shade, good beds on which to sleep and the best in the market to eat. Besides the actual entertainment extended the veterans, there will be a genuine and heartfelt hospitality extended them which will emphasize the fact that Ada is a city true to the best southern traditions.

### SATURDAY NIGHT BARGAINS.

#### FROM 7:30 TO 11:00 P. M.

- 10 Yards Lawn for .....45c
- 10 Yards Calico for .....45c
- 10 Yards L-1 Domestic .....38c
- The Best Bleached for .....7c
- 15c India Linen for .....49c
- 10c Embroidery for .....4c
- The Persian Lawn for .....25c
- Ladies' Vests for .....5c
- Ladies' Hose for .....9c
- \$1.00 Long Gloves for .....79c
- \$1.25 Corsets for .....89c
- 10-1 Sheeting for .....29c
- 15c Toweling for .....19c
- \$1.25 Table Cloth for .....74c
- \$1.25 Counterpanes for .....89c
- Napkins, per doz .....89c
- 74c 100 Yards Silk .....89c
- Gingham, per .....7c
- Cheese Cloth for .....1c

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- \$3.00 Skirts for .....\$1.75
- \$2.50 Skirts for .....\$1.69

#### MEN AND BOYS.

- For the men and boys a big stock pants shirts, ties, socks, collars, handkerchiefs, hats, suits, shoes and other things at sale price. Come tonight and see the BIG BARGAINS.
- \$2.50 Men's Necktie Shirts .....\$1.69
- \$2.00 Negligee Shirts .....\$1.29
- \$1.75 Shirts .....\$1.29
- \$1.00 Shirts .....\$1.29
- 30c Shirts .....38c
- 40c Shirts .....19c
- Balligan Underwear .....19c
- Chert Peabody Collars .....11c
- \$6.00 Men's Pants .....\$4.49
- \$1.00 Men's Pants for .....\$2.50
- \$3.00 Men's Pants for .....\$1.99
- \$2.50 Men's Pants for .....\$1.09
- \$1.75 Men's Pants .....\$1.29

#### BOYS' PANTS.

- \$1.50 Pants for tonight .....99c
- \$1.00 Pants for tonight .....79c
- 75c Pants for tonight .....49c
- 50c Pants for tonight .....19c

Straw hats at your own price. THE GRAND LEADER.

## LOVE'S YOUNG DREAM WAS

Shattered and the Youthful Swain Languishes Behind Prison Bars.

Kilgram Willett, aged 17, and Miss Lillie Batchelor, aged 18 years, from near Lula, were so consumed with the fire of love they could not await the slow process of maturity.

Their parents objected to the union of these young hearts, so they appropriated a neighbor's horse and hid themselves away to seek more lenient people and try to receive lawful sanction of their yearning love.

They had only proceeded as far as Sulphur, when they were apprehended by Deputy Sheriff John Kitchens, of Stonewall, and L. J. Shook, of Roff, who brought them to Ada today, where a preliminary hearing was given them before Justice H. J. Brown.

The girl was turned loose, of course, but Willett was committed to jail in default of \$500 bail.

It is the consensus of opinion that the boy intended to return the horse as soon as he could be married to his heart's desire.

What a small world is this sometimes, when two fond hearts with but a single thought, are thus torn asunder, and a separation forced, which will prevent even those roving accessions that ever stern parents could not prevent.

### Notice Children.

Rev. Hawkins, who is a great friend to the children will conduct a special service for the young people at the Baptist church at 1:00 p. m. Every child in Ada is urged to be present. He has a big treat for you.

### Peaches! Peaches!!

If you want peaches to put up drop me a card and I will have the wagon call at your house. Be sure and order right away.

J. H. INGRAM.

Box 159.

Cal Bolen, constable at Stonewall, brought a negro here today for some offense, and Sheriff Tom Smith sent him out to work on the roads. The sheriff says that is where all the county prisoners guilty of minor offenses will be put.

## Miss Mittie Barringer Entertains.

One of the most delightful socials of the season was that of last evening, when the elegant home of Mrs. Jno. Barringer in southside was thrown open to welcome a crowd of Ada's popular young people. The house was tastefully decorated with flowers and ferns. After a delightful evening of games and music, the party repaired to the spacious dining room where checks ice cream and cake were served.

The following guests were present, and all accede that Miss Barringer is a charming hostess: Misses Mamie and Jessie Rogers, Sheldae, Norton, Thompson, Walsh, Mattie Tohomson, Messrs. Sidney, Mitchell and Johnie Katz, Smith, Beatty, Kile, Chas. and Jno. Channery, Carr and Reed.

Mrs. N. B. Shands, accompanied by Gladys and Herbert Gillespie, left on the north bound Frisco for Wewoka.

Marriage license issued today to S. L. Adams, aged 20, and Tilda Snow, aged 18 years, of Allen. Both are natives of Arkansas.

### NOTICE.

All voters living in wards 1 and 2 must register with the undersigned on or before the last Saturday night in July, or they cannot vote in the primary election Aug. 1. Books open at City Hall.

W. B. JONES, Inspector

## Weak Kidneys

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## ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING

JULY 28, 1908.

### Order of Business.

1. Meeting called to order by Director of Children.
2. Reading of County Superintendent's letter.
3. Election of a Director for a term of three years.
4. Election to fill vacancy in office of Clerk or Treasurer if vacancy exists.
5. Discussion of repairs, improvements, location and building of school houses.
6. Tax levy.
7. Qualifying newly elected officers.
8. Miscellaneous business.
9. Reading and approving minutes of today's meeting.

To the Officers and patrons of Pontotoc County Schools:

At this annual meeting I desire to communicate to you by letter, which I trust will be of assistance to you in your deliberations, and in the proper transaction of the business of your district.

### Presiding Officer.

The Director, by virtue of his office, shall preside. If he is absent, those present have the power to choose the temporary presiding officer.

### Election.

Elect at this meeting a Director for three years. If your Treasurer has been appointed elect one for one year. If your Clerk has been appointed elect one for two years. If a vacancy exists in either office elect in like manner.

### Apparatus and Supplies.

The geography of Oklahoma has been greatly changed since statehood. We are now a state of seventy-five counties. Every school should have a good map of the state of Oklahoma, and I trust not one in this county will be without when school opens in the fall. A good set of maps in roller cases should also be in every school. A large dictionary is one of the essentials, and no school should be without it.

The county schools of old Oklahoma have at least the beginning of libraries. Let us not fall behind in Pontotoc county. The law provides that the district board employing one teacher shall set apart

each year not less than five dollars and not more than ten dollars for this purpose; more than one teacher and fewer than four teachers, not less than ten nor more than twenty-five dollars; more than three teachers, not less than fifty dollars. This is to be done at the time the annual tax levies are certified. No levy is required for this purpose, but the amount in dollars is to be certified by the County Clerk.

There should be a well of water at every school.

There should be shelves for dinner pails, and hooks for wraps; window shades that can be adjusted; wash basin, soap and towels; a mirror; a good globe, and a United States flag. The law requires this flag. This is a good county, and we can at least make a start in giving its schools the best possible equipment.

The County Commissioners will do a good part by our schools and are already alive to their wants and importance. Your children will be supplied with report cards, monthly, quarterly and term certificates and diplomas of attendance and deportment; your teacher will be supplied with a common school course of study; your school with a roll of honor and book for specimen work. All this will be provided at public expense. Now will it be too much for me to call upon the school boards and patrons to manifest the same liberal and enterprising spirit.

### Assessment and Tax Levy.

By the terms of the constitution the maximum rate for general purposes is five mills on the dollar valuation unless a greater rate be authorized by a majority of those present and voting at the school meeting. Such majority may vote an additional ten mills or less on the dollar valuation, so if the maximum be voted it will give you a levy for general purposes of fifteen mills on the dollar valuation. I beg that you be liberal in making this levy. A surplus will not hurt and is better than a deficit.

Again an additional levy of not more than five mills may be made for building purposes.

There is also a sinking fund for your district if you have voted or expect to vote bonds. This is levied by the County Commissioners to pay, first, interest on coupons as

they fall due; second, bonds as they become due; third, such parts of judgments as your district may, by law, be required to pay.

### Compulsory Attendance.

We have now a compulsory school law which provides that all children of sound mind, and body between the ages of eight and sixteen years shall attend some public or other school for at least three months in each school year, and the school board is given authority to increase the term of compulsory attendance to a period not exceeding six months in any school year. If the board takes no action in the matter, the term for compulsory attendance is three months.

It is the duty of the Director to furnish the teachers at the beginning of school the names of all children in his district, between the ages mentioned.

### Uniformity of Text Books.

We have now a State Text-Book commission, and it is their intention to adopt the books in time for all pupils to be supplied uniformly before the opening this fall. You will be informed in time of all selections together with prices and exchange rates.

### Postoffice Address.

I earnestly request that the Clerk give postoffice address of all members of the school board after the election.

### Repairs.

Please see that everything is in readiness for the opening of school in the fall. Broken window panes should be replaced, seats fastened to the floor, door scrubbed, walls cleaned, and I especially urge that the outbuilding be clean and in good order. Please inspect the buildings, and if there is any obscene language written see that it is thoroughly whitewashed inside.

### Employment of Teachers.

Should you employ a teacher who holds no certificate issued or endorsed by the school board of this county, you do so on the condition that he or she takes his or her examination the last Thursday and Friday of August.

### Conclusion.

We have now come face to face with our public school system. It is now beginning to take shape in this county. The state has assumed the duty and responsibility of educating its citizens. Let us use the means at our hand. The federal authorities will be liberal and agree to continue the schools a few months after the state funds are exhausted. Let us take pride in our duties and make Pontotoc County second to none in the state.

Very truly yours,

T. F. PIERCE,  
County Superintendent.



### DON'T FLY AROUND.

From place to place, homeless wanderers! Tie yourself down to earth and a comfortable home. On our plan it's easy to own a home. We should like to have you come in and let us post you about our new methods, making it about as simple to buy a house of your own as to pay rent.

### Hardin & Blanks

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Get my "Book No. 4 For Women." It will give weak women many valuable suggestions of relief—and with strictly confidential medical advice is entirely free. Simply write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. The book No. 4 tells all about Dr. Shoop's Night Cure and how these soothing, healing, antiseptic suppositories can be successfully applied to correct these weaknesses. Write for the book. The Night Cure is sold by G. M. Ramsey.

## ADA BALL TEAM NOT STUFF

Two of the Three Games Played With Coalgate Were Won.

The third game between Ada and Coalgate was played yesterday evening and won by the former. The score being 6 to 4.

The Coalgate team started off well with three scores the first half of the first inning, but the other lone one they got, was earned.

The Ada team took a new hitch on themselves, and changed outfielder, when they sure played ball.

An accident happened to Swickey, who plays with Coalgate. In attempting to make first base on a foot-and slide, his spikes did not catch and he fell heavily to the ground, striking his head very hard. He was soon revived and finished the game, but upon reaching the Chapman House, he became delirious and a physician was summoned. Today, Swickey is up and may again play in the fourth game between the two evenly matched nines.

The following is the score card of yesterday's game.

### ADA.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.E.
Gorman, ss.	4	2	2	3	1
Adkins, 2b.	4	0	2	1	0
Ellis, lb.	4	0	1	0	0
Wright, cf.	4	0	0	3	0
Reed, if.	4	2	0	3	0
Kiser, c.	4	1	1	4	0
Bone, 3b.	4	0	0	4	2
Lefevre, rf.	2	0	0	0	1
Shirley, lf.	2	1	1	0	0
Flowers, p.	3	0	1	0	1
Total	35	6	8	26	12

### Coalgate.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.E.
Hawkins, lb.	4	0	0	1	0
Smith, ss.	4	0	0	1	2
Swickey, 3b.	4	1	1	2	3
McCluckey, 2b.	4	1	1	2	0
Johnson, c.	4	1	1	1	1
Boggs, p.	4	1	2	1	1
Tucker, cf.	4	0	0	1	0
Scroggins, rf.	4	0	1	0	0
Stanley, lf.	4	0	0	0	1
Total	36	4	6	24	12

\*Boggs called out, coacher interfering.

Ada.....0 0 0 2 1 2 0-6

Coalgate.....3 0 0 0 0 0 0-1

Summary—Two base hits, Ellis; Johnson; three base hits, Kiser.

Boggs; base on balls, by Flowers; 1. Struck out, by Flowers 5, by Boggs 6; left on bases, Ada 5; Coalgate 5; wild pitch, Boggs 1; passed balls, Johnson 2; hit by pitcher, Smith, Stanley, umpire, Lumsden.

Time 1:40.

### The Dog and the Shadow.

A dog, crossing a bridge over a stream with a piece of flesh in his mouth, saw his own shadow in the water and took it for that of another dog with a piece of meat double his own in size. He therefore let go his own and fiercely attacked the other dog, to get his larger piece from him. He thus lost both; that which he grasped at in the water, because it was a shadow; and his own, because the stream swept it away.

Moral. Grasp the shadow, lose the substance.

Piles are easily and quickly checked with Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. To prove it I will mail a small trial box as a convincing test. Simply address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. I surely would not send it free unless I was certain that Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment would stand the test. Remember it is made expressly and alone for swollen, painful, bleeding or itching piles, either external or internal. Large jar 50c. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

## BETTER THAN SPANKING

Spanking does not cure children of bad wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W, South Bend, Ind., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her today if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubles with urine difficulties by day or night.

### RESOLUTION.

In Council Chambers of the City of Ada, Oklahoma.

Whereas, the first legislature of the State of Oklahoma has seen fit and wise to enact and pass into a law "House Bill No. 231," being "An Act to provide for the improvement of streets and other public places within cities of the First-class, by grading, paving, macadamizing, curbing, guttering and draining the same and declaring an emergency," and

Whereas, the city of Ada, Oklahoma, has grown from a small country village to a city of the First-class under the laws of the State of Oklahoma,

duly declared to be such by the Governor thereof; and

Whereas, the increased traffic on and over the public thoroughfares of the said city makes it imperative that more efficient and substantial streets and highways be built in the said city at once.

Therefore, be it resolved by the mayor and the councilmen of said city, in regular session assembled, that an urgent necessity for the paving, guttering, grading and curbing of Main street of said city, from the west side of the right of way of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad to the east side of the right of way of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad, Townsend avenue of said city, from the middle of 12th street, on the south to the west side of the right of way of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad on the north Broadway avenue of said city, from the middle of 12th street on the south to the west side of the right of way of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad on the north and Renne avenue of said city, from Main street to the middle of the alley between Main and 12th streets, be and is hereby declared to exist; and resolved further, that the said mayor and councilmen will proceed to grade, pave, gutter and curb the said streets and avenues between the points afore said with vitrified brick or asphaltum

after fifteen days from the last day of the publication of this notice.

Passed and approved, this the 6th day of July, A. D. 1908.

GEO. A. HARRISON, Mayor.  
Attest: W.B. JONES, City Clerk.  
(First published July 7, 1908.)

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## IT IS BRYAN AND KERN

### Nomination for Vice-President Made by Acclimation

The Nominee is an Intimate Friend of his Running Mate.--The Convention Adjourns Midst Enthusiasm.

Denver, Colo., July 10.—John W. Kern of Indiana is the democratic party's nominee for vice president. Before the roll call of states had been concluded it became at once apparent that he was overwhelming choice of the majority. The name of every other aspirant was withdrawn and the selection of Kern made unanimous.

Thirty minutes before the convention was called to order this afternoon at 1 o'clock, it was not known who would be chosen for Mr. Bryan's running mate. Although besieged by delegates eager to comply with his wishes, Mr. Bryan's representatives here declined to put the stamp of approval on any one. This was due to the fact that there were several aspirants who have for a long time been devoted followers of the Nebraskan, and he was reluctant to choose among them.

#### Kern's Candor Shown.

Tom Taggart has promised that

with Kern as the nominee for vice president he will carry the state, and other politicians think he is warranted in making that boast. The attitude of Mr. Kern with respect to the nomination has been clear from the moment his name was suggested. He has said that he would not covet the place for the reason that his means are such as to make the honor a sacrifice, but that if he should be thought for political reasons the most available he would make the sacrifice in the interest of democracy. The candor which Mr. Kern has shown is rare among politicians.

#### John Worth Kern.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 10.—John W. Kern was born December 20, 1849, at the village of Alto, Howard County, Ind. His father, Dr. Jacob W. Kern, was a Virginian by birth, who removed to Shelby County, Ind., in 1838, and lived there until 1846,

when he moved into the northern part of the state.

John Kern's mother was Nancy Liggett, and she and Dr. Kern were married in Warren County, Ohio, in 1845. When John was 5 years old, the family removed to Warren County, Iowa. From the time he went to Iowa until he was 15 years old he did not see a railroad train. The family moved back to Howard County in 1861. In the early sixties, while still in Iowa, Mrs. Kern died. Two children were left, John and his sister, who is now Mrs. Isaac Engel of Deleville, Va. John was educated in the district schools, and he continued his education by attending the Indiana Normal school of Kokomo, Ind., riding horseback ten miles each way every day. Later he taught school near Alto. He earned money to enter Ann Arbor, graduating from the law department of Michigan University in 1869. He immediately began practicing in Kokomo, Ind. He was "drafted" when he was 21 years old to make the race for the legislature in the republican county of Howard, but was defeated. He was chosen city attorney of Kokomo for six terms over republican aspirants. In 1881 he was elected reporter of the supreme court.

Denver, Colo., July 10.—"Gentlemen, you will have to excuse me, for I must go and buy a present for my little boy. I remember this is his birthday."

With this plea John Worth Kern, democratic nominee for vice president, left an important conference of Indian party leaders here the other day.

"Well, I reckon that is about the only political conference John Kern ever left until it was over," said one of his fellow delegates, "and I don't suppose there is a thing on earth that could have dragged him away except some duty or pleasure for his family."

The plea of Mr. Kern for absenting himself, and the comment thereon by his close personal and political friends, will illustrate the two most striking traits in the character of the man the democratic party has chosen to be the running mate of William J. Bryan. First of all, Mr. Kern loves his family. Next, he loves the swirl of politics, and over in Indiana they tell you he knows the game as he knows the alphabet.

There will be hundreds of thousands of voters asking tomorrow who is this man from Indiana, the man who was never in the halls of congress in an official capacity, and never had anything to do with Washington affairs except as the rank and file of American citizens have to do with them.

Not an Officeholder.

In his state he has never held any higher office than that of state senator and reporter of the supreme court. How, then, did it come that he should be stung out to be the teammate of the man from Nebraska, singled out from scores of men, some of wider name, who were mentioned as suitable for the presidency of the United States senate as quite as suitable to the chief magistracy in case of accident?

Probably the best answer is that Mr. Kern is heart, mind, muscle and soul, a Bryan democrat, and that he can come nearer to carrying Indiana for his party, in all probability, than any other man who could be named. Every delegate from the Hoosier state will tell you that and make his words fairly clink with emphasis. When the long whisks of Mr. Kern shake with the fervency of his political pleading from the rostrum, every tossing strand of them is said to lure votes from somewhere. For that magic power is peculiarly distinguished in his own state.

First Democrat of Indiana.

Twice he has been the candidate in Indiana for governor and twice he has polled more votes by 12,000 than any other man on his ticket. He failed of election in 1900 and again in 1904. They were brilliant failures. They were failures that have become political assets and they brought him to the fore as "the first democrat of Indiana."

Bryan and Kern's Friends.

In their friendship, the two men are like affectionate brothers. When the Nebraskan goes to Indianapolis to remain over night he always seeks out the modest home of Mr. Kern, sits at his table and makes the Kern broods a political confessional. If he happens to be passing through Indianapolis and has an hour to spare, the little law office is visited for party conferences. It was as much as these meetings in personal contact, man to man, as in the larger councils, that caused the Nebraskan to value the friendship of the Indianan.

Not a Wealthy Man.

Twenty-five thousand dollars is probably all the wealth he has. He had confided to his friends before the convention when the first mention of his name for vice president was made that he was afraid his fortune was too paucy to permit him to fill the social requirements of the office in Washington. His law practice is general in character and he is in considerable demand in Indianapolis in civil and criminal cases which are likely to call for persuasive pleading before a jury of average citizens.

As a spellbinder, he ranks with the best the Hoosier state affords. John Kern's eloquence has turned the balance in more than one case when the odds seemed against him. He is not what is called a corporation lawyer, and his office wears none of the aspects which are supposed to distinguish the place of operations of the defender of corporate interests. There are two small rooms and a modest library, where the books are well thumbed.

Not a Social "Lion."

Not in any sense is Mr. Kern to be considered a frequenter of clubs. His social instincts do not run quite in that channel, and yet he is credited with being one of the best "mixers" and cleverest tellers of stories in his state. He has a keen sense of humor and enjoys the sunny side of life as much as anybody. In a circle of friends he is always conceded the floor and leads the conversation. He is a member of the University Club of Indianapolis, one of the smallest organizations of its kind in the Indiana capital. On the rostrum he resorts much to the intimate style of address and wins attention. When his audience shows signs of losing interest he has ready course of stories apropos of his argument and regains the lost ground.

Nobody has ever discovered that he has any hobby but politics or any recreation but commingling with his family and friends. He does not play golf, go fishing or hunting or follow any game but that which was quietly played here in Denver this week. In that he is a shining light. He loves his lawbooks and documents on political economy. In this he seeks the diversion which the links of quarry offer to others.

#### Old-Fashioned Campaigner.

He is not of rugged physique, but when it comes to campaigning he can "make" as many towns and speak as often as the best of them. He fairly romps over Indiana towns, big and little. There is no eight-hour day in his personal platform. The old spring wagon on the farm, the automobile, the Pullman car or the back of a horse all look alike to him when he wants to get somewhere.

#### Kern's Wife Regrets Husband's nomination.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 10.—Mrs. John W. Kern, wife of the democratic nominee for vice president, was notified by the Associated Press of the nomination of her husband at Denver. She was at her home, 1836 North Pennsylvania street, with her children.

"I had hoped," she said, "you would give me the good news that Mr. Kern had not been nominated. I, of course, appreciate the honor conferred upon Mr. Kern, but I can not understand what conditions at Denver have arisen that would cause him to have accepted the nomination. Mr. Kern has injured his health in past campaigns by his activities, and as he means vastly more to me than any political honors, I am sincerely sorry, al-

though I suppose I should not say so."

#### If Elected Bryan Will Not Make Race Again.

Fairview, Lincoln, Neb., July 10.—The following statement was made by William Jennings Bryan when at 4:34 a. m. he received announcement of his nomination as the candidate of the democratic party for president:

"The presidency is the highest official position in the world and no one occupying it can afford to have his views upon public questions biased by personal ambition. Recognizing this responsibility to God, and his obligation to his countrymen, he should enter the discharge of his duties with singleness of purpose, believing that one can best do this when he is not planning for a second term. I announce now as I have on former occasions, that if elected I shall not be a candidate for re-election. "This is a nomination as purely from the people as can be and if elected my obligation will be as purely to the people. I appreciate the honor the more because it came, not from one person or a few persons, but from the rank and file, acting freely and without compulsion."

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Bryan and Kern sounds all right.

## HE EXEMPLIFIES HIS FAITH.

Indiana is a doubtful state, and the selection of the nominee for vice president from there was a wise political move.

John W. Kern, of Indiana, the Democratic nominee for vice president, adds strength to the ticket in a close state.

Registration time closes next Tuesday. You will want to vote when the time comes, so had better get your name on the registration book.

The movement for good roads must not be permitted to lag. No one matter is of more importance to the people of this section, and especially to Ada.

It is your duty to take an interest in the public affairs of your city, community, county, state and nation, so register and then you are permitted to do so.

Nature has well done its share for Ada, and its enterprising citizens have also done well, but there is much yet to do, and no time like the present to begin the work necessary to make this place the metropolis of this whole section.

Ada wants to get its full share of the increase in population that will flow into Oklahoma soon, so get the city in readiness for the rush.

The markets of Ada will soon be paved, the sidewalks laid with concrete, and even before that, there will be water to sprinkle the streets, so the dust will not be with us always. It is just a temporary inconvenience and annoyance which will soon pass away.

The News has labored earnestly, strenuously and persistently for Ada, in season and out of season, for pay and without pay—mostly the latter—and this paper will continue in the good work, but it trusts to have its extra labors to be better forth-coming, to bring more material benefits.

The selection of William Jennings Bryan for the third time to lead the hosts of democracy in the coming national election, is of deep significance and augurs well for the success of the ticket.

Without a political machine and no great wealth to promote his candidacy, he has for a dozen years or more kept himself in the forefront as a leader easily able to have the rank and file of democracy follow him. Nor has he abused this power as some leaders have done.

The great ability of Mr. Bryan and his clean, upright life, together with the advocacy of those measures intended to benefit the great body of people, have been the bulwarks of his strength, and in the championship of the rights of the masses, no one can justly question his sincerity or honesty.

Mr. Bryan has had the gratification of seeing the republican party compelled to enact into laws some of the remedies he has advocated in behalf of the people. President Roosevelt forced his party to make a democratic measure so persistently presented by Mr. Bryan, and to the extent that the republican party has reluctantly enacted these remedial measures, to that degree has its popularity been enhanced.

It surely is time now for the people to take the substance instead of the shadow. If the enactment of a few democratic measures, forced through an inimical congress, can result in such commendation from the masses, what would not be the acclaim of approval, could a democratic administration and congress be elected to make into laws the whole of the great principles of democracy?

Ada is a city of pretty, comfortable homes, where the shade trees abound, and shrubbery and flowers are here in profusion. It is a pleasing, restful spot to the westward, meandering along the shaded streets of Ada, and view the well-kept lawns and cool, vine-embowered homes. Let more care and attention be given the advantages nature has so generously bestowed on this section.

The law requires registration to enable you to vote.

WORLD'S CHAMPION KILLED.  
Milt Beeler Who Held the World's Record as Fastest Roper, Roped Once Too Often.

Special to Ada News.  
Pontotoc, Okla., July 10.—Prof. Kennedy of South Pontotoc phoned the following to the News Friday: "Milt Beeler, 22 years of age, who won the world's roping championship at Elkhart last February, was fatally injured at Pontotoc Thursday evening, his death resulting at 9 o'clock Friday morning. There was a roping contest at Pontotoc in which a large number of entries had been made. There was much interest and a considerable crowd had gathered to witness the expert feats of roping. Mr. Beeler was the second to ride in the contest field. He roped his steer, but before his horse could become master, the steer had pulled him over and he fell on the rider, crushing him in such a manner that fatal injury resulted. Mr. Beeler was a popular young man and was well known in the Pontotoc country. His parents reside at Chickasha, and it is there that he will be buried. The deceased's roping record was 20 seconds.

Miss Minnie McCain, the popular bookkeeper at Moss & Scrumpers, accompanied by Misses Jennie Roddie and Maud McLeod will leave tomorrow for a month's visit to Miss McCain's old home at Rockwall, Tex.

## Tin Manufacturers

Anything in that line you want. Tanks, Cornice, Well Buckets, Gutters and utensils of any size.

All Kinds of Plumbing Done

Bath Tubs in stock.

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### SUNDAY AT THE CHURCHES

**First Presbyterian Church.**  
There will be special music at both services tomorrow, 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. A cordial welcome to all, 10 to 11:00 organ prelude.  
Nava grand prelude.  
Devotional.  
Invocation.  
Hymn, "Day of Rest and Gladness."  
Solo, Oh, God be Merciful, Miss Jones.  
Hymn, No. 243.  
Glorious, melody, Mendelssohn.  
Sermon.  
Hymn 199.  
Postlude in key of C.  
Rev. Akronbeck, Pastor.  
Mrs. Shannaker, organist.

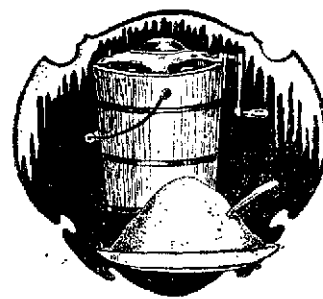
**At the Presbyterian Church Sunday.**  
9:15 a. m., Sunday school.  
11:00 a. m., sermon "The Christian, an Ambassador for Christ."  
2:00 p. m., Christian Endeavor.  
There will be no evening services in order that all may unite in the evangelistic services in progress at the Baptist church.  
J. D. WHITE, Pastor.

**At the First Baptist Church.**  
The meeting grows in interest. Large congregation last night, fine interest, and four conversions. The afternoon prayer meeting at the home of Brother Sanders was a glorious service in which a young lady was converted. Services this evening at 8:00 o'clock. Tomorrow there will be three services, 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m., on Sunday, and a special children's service at 1 p. m. Sermon by Brother Sanders. The children's prayer meeting in their Sunday school will be at 9:15 o'clock. Home day in our Sunday school which meets at 9:15. Pray for a great day tomorrow.  
T. B. HARRIS, Pastor.

Pain will depart in exactly 20 minutes if one of Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets is taken. Pain anywhere. Remember! Pain always means congestion. Blood pressure—nothing else. Headache is blood pressure; toothache is blood pressure on the sensitive nerve. Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets—also called Pink Pain Tablets—quickly and safely coax this blood pressure away from pain centers. Painful periods when women get instant relief. 20 Tablets 25c. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

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H. T. Douglas, V. P. M. D. Timberlake, Cashier

## Flour Flour Flour

Try a sack of Nebraska Star, best on earth.  
PER SACK \$1.45  
8 boxes Quaker Oats, 25c  
10 bars Good laundry soap, 25c  
3 lbs. coffee, 25c

We have the Celebrated New State and Louis brands of Canned Goods and Coffees. It will pay you to buy your Groceries from

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## HOLLEY

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## PERSONAL COLUMN

F. L. Norton is in Roff today.

Henry Young transacted business in Citra yesterday.

M. B. Donaghey is back from a trip to South McAlester.

Joe Nobles, brother-in-law of W. C. Duncan, of Madill, came in today.

Miss Mamie McPherson of Sasawka visited Miss Nannie White yesterday.

Mrs. Shanafelt and Miss Barber have gone to Holdenville to visit friends today.

Mrs. C. C. McDonald and children are home from Madill where they visited friends.

Mrs. I. J. Patterson, sister of Miss Beriah Worthington, arrived today for a visit to relatives.

After a short visit with relatives, Mrs. Ernie Cotton has returned to her home at Ardmore.

Miss Alta Essman left today for several weeks' visit to friends in Ardmore.

A. A. Whittaker of Shawnee is a business visitor in the city.

Mrs. W. W. White from Roff is here.

Mrs. Vera Atkins of Blanchard arrived in the city yesterday and is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Carr.

W. C. Lewis and sister, Madill, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Frank Veargin, left today for their home at Madill.

J. L. Jackson of Gainesville, Tex., is in the city prospecting. Mr. Jackson is favorably impressed with Ada and may probably locate here.

Mrs. W. E. Moore, J. W. Moore, J. T. Reed, M. Johnston and Miss Rowena Moore have gone to Francis to spend the day visiting Mrs. Ora Miller.

Mrs. G. C. Graham and children of Meffice came in today and took the north bound Frisco for Roff where they will visit for several days.

Henry Lash and wife are visiting in Ahlosa.

J. H. Davidson, chief clerk of superintendent's office is here.

W. D. Hayes, wife and baby have gone to Sulphur for a ten days' outing.

Bro. Harrel has gone to Duncan to fill the pulpit of Bro. Hawkins tomorrow.

The General Manager E. O. Allen of St. Louis, with his special train spent the night here.

Rev. W. H. Moss, who is here on a visit to the family of Robt. Winnish, left for Sulphur for a short trip.

Mrs. S. A. George and grandchildren, Misses May and Nora Beard, are visiting friends at Kiefer.

Ada Construction Co. will furnish you estimates on any and all classes of concrete work.

Mrs. L. J. Howell and children of Konawa, accompanied by Mrs. E. J. Howell, after a visit to Mrs. C. R. Clement, left for a visit to friends at Earlbora.

We are now prepared to manufacture on short notice anything you may want that is practical to be constructed of concrete.

ADA CONSTRUCTION CO.

Rev. J. B. Kitzner, late of Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn., will occupy the pulpit at the First Methodist church tomorrow at 11 o'clock. All are cordially invited to be present.

Not a cent charged from this date. Please do not ask us.

COX-GREEN-MCDONALD CO.

Mrs. R. W. Norton, who has been the guest of her father, F. L. Norton, returned to her home in Dallas, Texas.

Please do not ask for credit. We charge no more goods.

COX-GREEN-MCDONALD CO.

Please do not ask for credit. We charge no more goods. We can not. We can not. We can not.

COX-GREEN-MCDONALD CO.

## STOLE HIS BROTHER'S WIFE

And Then Is Said to Have Threatened to Kill Him Because He Objected.

Joe Porter, an Indian, was arrested on the charge of adultery, for living with the wife of his brother, Ben. For this offense, Justice H. J. Brown of Ada, bound Joe over to the grand jury in the sum of \$300.

It seems that Ben became angry because his brother Joe had taken the idol of his heart, and then Joe is said to have threatened to kill Ben, if he heard any more about the matter.

Ben then had Joe arrested for these threats, but as the evidence was conflicting and hearsay, Justice Brown discharged Joe.

Just where and with whom the wife is now domiciled or in sympathy does not appear. She is at least a bone of contention between brothers, and where there should be affection instead of strife.

Evidently Joe has not been reading the ten commandments.

### Grand Prizes Free.

The Steam Riding Gallery will give free to the persons holding the two lucky numbers out of seven hundred, the following valuable prizes: First prize, one Axminster rug, 20x60; second prize, one picture 16x20, matted frame. One number will be given with every five cent ticket. Drawing will take place at 11 o'clock p. m., July 11th at grounds.

W. L. JOHNSON, Prop.

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## SOME OF OUR Every Day Bargains

- 4 boxes Eagle Lye, 25c
- Silk Soap 3c per cake
- Red Cross Bleaching 2 boxes 5c.
- Gold Dust Washing Powder 4c per package.
- Sisal Rope Clothes Line 100 ft. 15c
- Spring Clothes Pins 5c per doz.
- Search Light matches 3 boxes 10c.
- 4 lbs. Arm & Hammer Brand Soda 25c
- Dove Brand Extracts 3 for 25c.
- Paper Napkins 7c per 100.
- Decorated Lamp Chimneys, Size 2, 19c
- 10-inch Mill Files, 10c.
- Hammer and Hatchet handles 2 for 15c.

Ladies and Gentlemen Handkerchiefs 5 and 10c.

Ladies Hand Bags lowest prices. Get your Post Cards and Stationery here. Headquarters for Fourth of July Goods. "We keep the prices down."

## The RACKET STORE

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Wonderful, Reliable Clairvoyant and Medium.

My special request, Miss Lewis will remain in Ada for another week, and during her special reduced prices for a few days only. Come now and do not wait, and be convinced of her marvelous powers.

Hours from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. All business strictly confidential. Chapman House.

Mrs. Frank J. More, who has been visiting her parents at Francis for several weeks is here en route to her home at Sulphur, Kan. Mrs. More will be remembered by her many friends, as Miss Villa Wilson, who was one of Ada's most popular teachers.

Our rule is spot cash. Don't ask us to just charge it.

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I desire to secure as many as possible table boarders. Also I have large comfortable front room, facing south for rent.

MRS. J. E. BILLS.

## MR. HOLT RESIGNS

Gives Up Job at Court House—Will Now Have More Time to Attend to the Business of the City.

It is reported that Mr. Tom Holt, late city attorney of Ada, resigned today his position as assistant clerk of the county court. The narrative of the cause of Mr. Holt's resignation on the vice county position he has been holding for some time relates that such decision was based on political expediency and his final realization that the public would not countenance such dereliction in the conduct of the office of the city attorney as must result when its occupant held another official position which properly required all of his services. It appears that Mr. Holt, rather than lose the bigger plum, the city attorney's office with its nice fee income, decided to drop the lesser plum, especially since the retention of the lesser plum required real genuine sweating work. Since, automatically under the law, the office of city attorney became vacant when its occupant accepted another one incompatible with its business requirements, competent attorneys consider that the city administration in proper regard for the legality of all of the acts of the city, since Mr. Holt has resigned his county position, should take the necessary steps to get him legally reinstated in the office of city attorney.

The dual office holding proclivities of Mr. Holt, by a good stretch of imagination, might remind one of that little tale told of a man named Mr. Eason.

### Out to Sandy.

Fishing seems to be the rage, so another jolly crowd contracted the fever and bled away to Sandy, yesterday to fish and enjoy the fresh country breeze.

The following were the party, chartered by Mr. and Mrs. Piek Donaghey: Misses Ruth and Jennie Roddie, Asbury, Cook Grace and Alva Smith, Bowers, Gertrude and Ruby West, Chisler, Stone and King, Messrs. Donaghey, Cole, Guest, Dadds, Chisler, Brown, Eaton, Durham.

### Brigade Reunion.

Ada will properly entertain the old confederates and sympathizers of the Chickasaw nation on the occasion of their three days reunion in this city two weeks from now. The 25000 Club is squarely behind the movement to give the old heroes the time of their lives. There will be comfortable seats, lots of food and shade, good beds on which to sleep and the best in the market to eat. Besides the actual entertainment extended the veterans, there will be a genuine and heartfelt hospitality extended them which will emphasize the fact that Ada is a city true to the best southern traditions.

### SATURDAY NIGHT BARGAINS.

FROM 7:30 TO 11:00 P. M.

- 10 Yards Lawn for .....45c
- 10 Yards Calico for .....45c
- 10 Yards 1-4 Domestic .....38c
- The Best Bleached for .....7c
- 15c India Linen for .....49c
- 10c Embroidery for .....4c
- The Persian Lawn for .....25c
- Ladies' Vests for .....5c
- Ladies' Hose for .....9c
- \$1.00 Long Gloves for .....79c
- \$1.25 Corsets for .....89c
- 10-1 Sheeting for .....29c
- 15c Toweling for .....19c
- \$1.25 Table Cloth for .....74c
- \$1.25 Counterpanes for .....89c
- Napkins, per doz .....89c
- 74c 100 Yards Silk .....89c
- Guineas, per .....7c
- Cheese Cloth for .....1c

SPECIAL IN LADIES' LINEN. SKIRTS WILL NOT CARRY OVER.

\$3.00 Skirts for .....\$1.75  
\$2.50 Skirts for .....\$1.69

### MEN AND BOYS.

- For the men and boys a big stock pants shirts, ties, socks, collars, handkerchiefs, hats, suits, shoes and other things at sale price. Come tonight and see the BIG BARGAINS.
- \$2.50 Men's Necktie Shirts, \$1.69
- \$2.00 Negligee Shirts, \$1.29
- \$1.75 Shirts, .....89c
- \$1.00 Shirts, .....59c
- 30c Shirts, .....38c
- 40c Shirts, .....19c
- Balligan Underwear, .....19c
- Chert Peabody Collars, .....11c
- \$6.00 Men's Pants, .....\$4.49
- \$1.00 Men's Pants for .....\$2.50
- \$3.00 Men's Pants for .....\$1.69
- \$2.50 Men's Pants for .....\$1.05
- \$1.75 Men's Pants, .....\$1.29

### BOYS' PANTS.

- \$1.50 Pants for tonight, .....99c
- \$1.00 Pants for tonight, .....79c
- 75c Pants for tonight, .....49c
- 50c Pants for tonight, .....19c

Straw hats at your own price. THE GRAND LEADER.

## LOVE'S YOUNG DREAM WAS

Shattered and the Youthful Swain Languishes Behind Prison Bars.

Kilgram Willett, aged 17, and Miss Lillie Batchelor, aged 18 years, from near Lula, were so consumed with the fire of love they could not await the slow process of maturity.

Their parents objected to the union of these young hearts, so they appropriated a neighbor's horse and hid themselves away to seek more lenient people and try to receive lawful sanction of their yearning love.

They had only proceeded as far as Sulphur, when they were apprehended by Deputy Sheriff John Kitchens, of Stonewall, and L. J. Shook, of Roff, who brought them to Ada today, where a preliminary hearing was given them before Justice H. J. Brown.

The girl was turned loose, of course, but Willett was committed to jail in default of \$500 bail.

It is the consensus of opinion that the boy intended to return the horse as soon as he could be married to his heart's desire.

What a small world is this sometimes, when two fond hearts with but a single thought, are thus torn asunder, and a separation forced, which will prevent even those roving excursions that ever stern parents could not prevent.

### Notice Children.

Rev. Hawkins, who is a great friend to the children will conduct a special service for the young people at the Baptist church at 1:00 p. m. Every child in Ada is urged to be present. He has a big treat for you.

### Peaches! Peaches!!

If you want peaches to put up drop me a card and I will have the wagon call at your house. Be sure and order right away.

J. H. INGRAM.

Box 159.

Cal Bolen, constable at Stonewall, brought a negro here today for some offense, and Sheriff Tom Smith sent him out to work on the roads. The sheriff says that is where all the county prisoners guilty of minor offenses will be put.

## Miss Mittie Barringer Entertains.

One of the most delightful socials of the season was that of last evening, when the elegant home of Mrs. Jno. Barringer in southside was thrown open to welcome a crowd of Ada's popular young people. The house was tastefully decorated with flowers and ferns. After a delightful evening of games and music, the party repaired to the spacious dining room where checks ice cream and cake were served.

The following guests were present, and all accede that Miss Barringer is a charming hostess: Misses Mamie and Jessie Rogers, Sheldae, Norton, Thompson, Walsh, Mattie Tohomson, Messrs. Sidney, Mitchell and Johnie Katz, Smith, Beatty, Kile, Chas. and Jno. Channery, Carr and Reed.

Mrs. N. B. Shands, accompanied by Gladys and Herbert Gillespie, left on the north bound Frisco for Wewoka.

Marriage license issued today to S. L. Adams, aged 20, and Tilda Snow, aged 18 years, of Allen. Both are natives of Arkansas.

### NOTICE.

All voters living in wards 1 and 2 must register with the undersigned on or before the last Saturday night in July, or they cannot vote in the primary election Aug. 1. Books open at City Hall.

W. B. JONES, Inspector

## Weak Kidneys

Weak Kidneys, surely point to weak kidney nerves. The kidneys, like the heart, and the stomach, find their weakness, not in the organ itself, but in the nerves that control and guide and strengthen them. Dr. Shoop's Restorative is a medicine specially prepared to reach these controlling nerves. To doctor the kidneys alone, is futile. It is a waste of time, and of money as well.

If your back aches or is weak, if the urine is acid, or is dark and strong, if you have symptoms of Bright's or other distressing or dangerous kidney disease, try Dr. Shoop's Restorative a month. Tablets or Liquid—and see what it can and will do for you. Druggists recommend and sell.

## Dr. Shoop's Restorative

G. M. RAMSEY.



## When Are You Going?

It's time you were thinking about that Summer Trip. I want you to write me before completing your vacation plans. I can suggest any number of delightful trips to Lake, Mountain and Seaside Resorts and give you valuable information about rates and the best way to go.

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## ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING JULY 25, 1908.

### Order of Business.

1. Met called to order by Director of Education.
  2. Reading of County Superintendent's letter.
  3. Election of a Director for a term of three years.
  4. Election to fill vacancy in office of Clerk or Treasurer if vacancy exists.
  5. Discussion of repairs, improvements, location and building of school houses.
  6. Tax levy.
  7. Qualifying newly elected officers.
  8. Miscellaneous business.
  9. Reading and approving minutes of today's meeting.
- To the Officers and patrons of Pontotoc County Schools:
- At this annual meeting I desire to communicate to you by letter, which, I trust will be of assistance to you in your deliberations, and in the proper transaction of the business of your district.

### Presiding Officer.

The Director, by virtue of his office, shall preside. If he is absent, those present have the power to choose the temporary presiding officer.

### Election.

Elect at this meeting a Director for three years. If your Treasurer has been appointed elect one for one year. If your Clerk has been appointed elect one for two years. If a vacancy exists in either office elect in like manner.

### Apparatus and Supplies.

The geography of Oklahoma has been greatly changed since statehood. We are now a state of seventy-five counties. Every school should have a good map of the state of Oklahoma, and I trust not one in this county will be without when school opens in the fall. A good set of maps in roller cases should also be in every school. A large dictionary is one of the essentials, and no school should be without it.

The county schools of old Oklahoma have at least the beginning of libraries. Let us not fall behind in Pontotoc county. The law provides that the district board employing one teacher shall set apart

each year not less than five dollars and not more than ten dollars for this purpose; more than one teacher and fewer than four teachers, not less than ten nor more than twenty-five dollars; more than three teachers, not less than fifty dollars. This is to be done at the time the annual tax levies are certified. No levy is required for this purpose, but the amount in dollars is to be certified by the County Clerk.

There should be a well of water at every school.

There should be shelves for dinner pails, and books for wraps; window shades that can be adjusted; wash basin, soap and towels; a mirror; a good globe, and a United States flag. The law requires this flag. This is a good county, and we can at least make a start in giving its schools the best possible equipment.

The County Commissioners will do a good part by our schools and are already alive to their wants and importance. Your children will be supplied with report cards, monthly, quarterly and term certificates and diplomas of attendance and deportment; your teacher will be supplied with a common school course of study; your school with a roll of honor and book for specimen work. All this will be provided at public expense. Now will it be too much for me to call upon the school boards and patrons to manifest the same liberal and enterprising spirit.

### Assessment and Tax Levy.

By the terms of the constitution the maximum rate for general purposes is five mills on the dollar valuation unless a greater rate be authorized by a majority of those present and voting at the school meeting. Such majority may vote an additional ten mills or less on the dollar valuation, so if the maximum he voted it will give you a levy for general purposes of fifteen mills on the dollar valuation. I beg that you be liberal in making this levy. A surplus will not hurt and is better than a deficit.

Again an additional levy of not more than five mills may be made for building purposes.

There is also a sinking fund for your district if you have voted or expect to vote bonds. This is levied by the County Commissioners to pay: first, interest on coupons as

they fall due; second, bonds as they become due; third, such parts of judgments as your district may, in law, be required to pay.

### Compulsory Attendance.

We have now a compulsory school law which provides that all children of sound mind, and body between the ages of eight and sixteen years shall attend some public or other school for at least three months in each school year, and the school board is given authority to increase the term of compulsory attendance to a period not exceeding six months in any school year. If the board takes no action in the matter, the term for compulsory attendance is three months.

It is the duty of the Director to furnish the teachers at the beginning of school the names of all children in his district, between the ages mentioned.

### Uniformity of Text Books.

We have now a State Text-book commission, and it is their intention to adopt the books in time for all pupils to be supplied uniformly before the opening this fall. You will be informed in time of all selections together with prices and exchange rates.

### Postoffice Address.

I earnestly request that the Clerk give postoffice address of all members of the school board after the election.

### Repairs.

Please see that everything is in readiness for the opening of school in the fall. Broken window panes should be replaced, seats fastened to the floor, door scrubbed, walls cleaned, and I especially urge that the outbuilding be clean and in good order. Please inspect the buildings, and if there is any obscene language written see that it is thoroughly whitewashed inside.

### Employment of Teachers.

Should you employ a teacher who holds no certificate issued or endorsed by the school board of this county, you do so on the condition that he or she takes his or her examination the last Thursday and Friday of August.

### Conclusion.

We have now come face to face with our public school system. It is now beginning to take shape in this county. The state has assumed the duty and responsibility of educating its citizens. Let us use the means at our hand. The federal authorities will be liberal and agree to continue the schools a few months after the state funds are exhausted. Let us take pride in our duties and make Pontotoc County second to none in the state.

Very truly yours,

T. F. PIERCE,  
County Superintendent.



### DON'T FLY AROUND.

From place to place, homeless wanderers! Tie yourself down to earth and a comfortable home. On our plan it's easy to own a home. We should like to have you come in and let us post you about our new methods, making it about as simple to buy a house of your own as to pay rent.

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## ADA BALL TEAM HOT STUFF

Two of the Three Games Played With Coalgate Were Won.

The third game between Ada and Coalgate was played yesterday evening and won by the former. The score being 6 to 4.

The Coalgate team started off well with three scores the first half of the first inning, but the other lone one they got, was earned.

The Ada team took a new hitch on themselves, and changed one holder, when they were played ball. An accident happened to Swickey, who plays with Coalgate. In attempting to make first base on a foot-and-slide, his spikes did not catch and he fell heavily to the ground, striking his head very hard. He was soon revived and finished the game, but upon reaching the Chapman House, he became delirious and a physician was summoned. Today, Swickey is up and may again play in the fourth game between the two evenly matched nines.

The following is the score card of yesterday's game.

### ADA.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.E.
Gorham, ss.	4	2	2	2	3
Adkins, 2b.	4	0	2	1	0
Ellis, cf.	4	0	1	9	0
Wright, lf.	4	0	0	3	0
Reed, if.	4	2	0	3	0
Kiser, c.	4	1	1	4	5
Bone, 3b.	4	0	0	4	2
Lefevre, rf.	2	0	0	0	0
Shriley, cf.	2	1	0	0	1
Flowers, p.	3	0	1	0	1
Total	35	6	8	26	12

### Coalgate.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.E.
Hawkins, 1b.	4	0	0	11	0
Smith, ss.	4	0	0	1	2
Swickey, 3b.	4	1	2	3	0
McCluckey, 2b.	4	1	2	2	0
Johnson, c.	4	1	6	1	1
Boggs, p.	4	1	2	1	1
Tucker, cf.	4	0	0	1	0
Scroggins, rf.	4	0	1	0	0
Stanley, lf.	4	0	0	0	1
Total	36	4	6	24	12

\*Boggs called out, coacher interfering.

Ada.....00021210-6

Coalgate.....30000001-1

Summary—Two base hits, Ellis;

Johnson; three base hits, Kiser;

Boggs; base on balls, by Flowers 1;

Struck out, by Flowers 5, by

Boggs 6; left on bases, Ada 5; Coal-

gate 5; wild pitch, Boggs 1; passed

balls, Johnson 2; hit by pitcher,

Smith, Stanley, Umpire, Lumsden.

Time 1:40.

### The Dog and the Shadow.

A dog, crossing a bridge over a stream with a piece of flesh in his mouth, saw his own shadow in the water and took it for that of another dog with a piece of meat double his own in size. He therefore let go his own and fiercely attacked the other dog, to get his larger piece from him. He thus lost both; that which he grasped at in the water, because it was a shadow; and his own, because the stream swept it away.

Moral. Grasp the shadow, lose the substance.

Piles are easily and quickly checked with Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. To prove it I will mail a small trial box as a convincing test. Simply address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. I surely would not send it free unless I was certain that Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment would stand the test. Remember it is made expressly and alone for swollen, painful, bleeding or itching piles, either external or internal. Large jar 50c. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

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### RESOLUTION.

In Council Chambers of the City of Ada, Oklahoma.

Whereas, the first legislature of the State of Oklahoma has seen fit and wise to enact and pass into a law "House Bill No. 231," being "An Act to provide for the improvement of streets and other public places within cities of the First-class, by grading, paving, macadamizing, curbing, guttering and draining the same and declaring an emergency," and

Whereas, the city of Ada, Okla., has grown from a small country village to a city of the First-class under the laws of the State of Oklahoma,

duly declared to be such by the Governor thereof; and

Whereas, the increased traffic on and over the public thoroughfares of the said city makes it imperative that more efficient and substantial streets and highways be built in the said city at once.

Therefore, be it resolved by the mayor and the councilmen of said city, in regular session assembled, that an urgent necessity for the paving, guttering, grading and curbing of Main street of said city, from the west side of the right of way of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad to the east side of the right of way of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad, Townsend avenue of said city, from the middle of 12th street on the south to the west side of the right of way of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad on the north Broadway avenue of said city, from the middle of 12th street on the south to the west side of the right of way of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad on the north and Reenie avenue of said city, from Main street to the middle of the alley between Main and 12th streets, be and is hereby declared to exist; and resolved further, that the said mayor and councilmen will proceed to grade, pave, gutter and curb the said streets and avenues between the points afore said with vitrified brick or asphaltum

after fifteen days from the last day of the publication of this notice.

Passed and approved, this 6th day of July, A. D. 1908.

GEO. A. HARRISON, Mayor.

Attest: W.B. JONES, City Clerk.

(First published July 7, 1908.)

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